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INDICATIONS—UNSETTLED; WARMER.

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COMPLETE MARKET REPORTS.

MAN PERMITTED TO SLAP HIS WIFE

"No Divorce for One Slap," Says Judge Spencer.

MRS. KERR WILL REMAIN MARRIED

BOUTEMEY'S FAMILY TROUBLES ARE PURELY FINANCIAL.

Mrs. Perry Given Decree From Ira W. Perry With Alimony and Custody of Son—Cause Desertion.

A single slap in the face is not sufficient ground for divorce, according to Judge Selden P. Spencer of the circuit court.

Such was his ruling Monday morning in the case of Eva H. Kerr against Robert J. Kerr for divorce.

Mrs. Kerr alleged that her husband had a bad temper and was surly and cross to her. As proof, she charged that he had struck her once in the face because she complained to him.

"There is no excuse for the husband's cruel act," said Judge Spencer. "But the single act of roughness in temper is not a ground for divorce, and when forgiveness and reconciliation are sought they ought to be granted.

"It is only when the indignities are of such a character and so long continued as to render the condition of the suffering party intolerable that the law makes them a ground for divorce."

Mrs. Kerr's chief complaint against her husband, Judge Spencer said, seemed to be that in 1900, when they lived in Phoenix, Ariz., he had invited a cousin of his to come and visit them. She came and stayed two months. According to Mrs. Kerr's testimony Friday the cousin went riding afternoons with Mr. Kerr and often went to his office with him. She finally objected and then it was that Mr. Kerr slapped her.

Judge Spencer also refused to grant Mrs. Henrietta Boutemey a divorce from Louis Victor Boutemy, both of whom are teachers of French. The evidence showed, said Judge Spencer in his opinion, that the trouble between them was mostly financial.

Mrs. Boutemey testified that her husband did not work and support her, and Mr. Boutemey replied that he worked and had money, with which he supported her while she lived with him, but not after she left him. The evidence is in hopeless conflict, says the opinion, although it is evident that the husband is chiefly at fault.

The testimony showed, however, according to Judge Spencer, that Mrs. Boutemey had been supported either by herself, her husband, or by their joint efforts, and that she is now living apart from him and would not return. Such facts, it is said, do not constitute indignities and the suit was therefore dismissed.

After a married life of 35 years Adam Mueller was divorced from Mrs. Louise Mueller by Judge Zachritz of the circuit court Monday morning. Mr. Mueller, who is 65 years old, testified that Mrs. Mueller's love for travel in the West had led her to desert him in 1898, and he had not seen her since.

It was the second desertion, he said, as once before she had been away six years travelling in the west. Since she went in 1898 he had received a letter from her in which she admitted her fault, but said that her roving disposition made home unpleasant to her.

Mrs. Lillie Perry was granted a divorce from Ira W. Perry Monday by Judge Zachritz on the ground of desertion. She also secured the custody of her 17-year-old son, Ira W. Perry, and $100 a month alimony. Mr. Perry is the secretary of the Ira Perry Pie Co. The testimony in the case showed that he was married to Mrs. Perry in April, 1883, and left her in June, 1900.

HE IS THIRTEEN AND UNLUCKY

Lawyer Semple Charged With Counterfeiting May Go to Prison With Twelve Alleged Conspirators.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 18.—John L. Semple, a lawyer of Camden, N. J., was placed on trial today in the United States District Court before Judge McPherson, charged with aiding and abetting Arthur Taylor and Baldwin Bredwell in making, issuing and attempting to circulate counterfeit $20 notes.

Semple is the thirteenth man to be arrested in connection with the Lancaster, Pa., revenue stamp counterfeiting conspiracy, conceived by Jacobs and Kendig, cigar manufacturers of that city, in 1897. Nine men have gone to the penitentiary after conviction on charges growing out of the conspiracy, and three others are in the county prison awaiting sentence.

MANY WANT THE HOLY OFFICE

In the Midst of Religious Politics and Scheming the Pope's Health Is Tenderly Cared For.

ROME, Nov. 18.—In spite of persistent and apparently well founded denials that there is any imminent danger of the pope's disease the air is full of speculation indicating that his end is not far off.

Rumors of intrigue and slate-making, which it is impossible to keep from the outside, exude from every crevice of the jealously guarded inner precincts of the Vatican.

The pope's closest personal attendants include his faithful valet, Centro, one chaplain and one minor prelate who constantly and tenderly guard his material comfort. His meals are served in his private apartment at a small table at which none other, even a crowned head, may sit down. No feminine hand may tend or soothe the august invalid.

DEPEW'S CHRISTMAS WEDDING

The Senator Will Go to France to Wed and Will Return at Once to Washington.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Senator Chauncey M. Depew says that his wedding will take place on Christmas day. In an interview he states:

"I am going down to Charleston, S. C., to make an oration at the opening of the fair on Dec. 1. Then I am going to Washington to take my seat in the Senate. I will remain in Washington until the Senate adjourns for the holidays, which will be Dec. 16.

On that date I will start for New York and at the earliest possible moment I will take a steamer for France. If things go as smoothly as I expect them to I will be in Paris by Christmas, on which day I hope to be married.

"I will return to this city with my bride after the ceremony and will take up my residence here. Of course, we will open a house in Washington, but only during the time the Senate is in session."

OLD MAN SLAIN ON THE LEVEE

John Bonner, Riverman, Found in Pool of Blood.

MURDERED IN LODGING HOUSE

JOHN FARRELL'S CLOTHING SPOTTED WITH BLOOD.

Mrs. Mary Leach Heard a Scuffle in the Room Where Farrell and the Aged Victim Slept.

John Bonner, a riverman, 60 years old, was brutally murdered in a room in the O. K. House, a hotel at the corner of Franklin avenue and the Levee, early Sunday morning. When his body was discovered his head and face had been beaten almost beyond recognition.

John Farrell, 58 years old; Charles Wilson, 60 years old; Annie Bell, 35 years old, and Rose McGee, 40 years old, were arrested, pending an investigation of the affair, and locked up in the Fourth district police station.

The police have a heavy stone cup, covered with blood, found in Bonner's room, a broken blood-stained lamp and a blood-stained handkerchief. The cup was found under the lounge in Bonner's room, on which Wilson slept Saturday night, and the handkerchief under the bench in the cell in which he was confined in the Fourth district station. The lamp was found in the room occupied by Wilson, across the hall from that in which Bonner was murdered. The woodwork in Bonner's room was covered with bloody finger marks and there were bloody footprints leading across the hall between Bonner's and Wilson's rooms.

John Farrell came to St. Louis Friday from Cairo. He met Bonner and Wilson in the bar of the O. K. House Saturday evening. After drinking at the bar for awhile the three went up to Bonner's room. About 8 o'clock Sunday morning the police were notified that Bonner had been murdered and arrested Farrell and Wilson, and later arrested Annie Bell of 712 Carr street and Rose McGee at 516 South Second street. When arrested all four admitted being at the O. K. House Sunday morning.

When taken to the police station blood stains were found on Farrell's undershirt. When asked how the blood came there he became reticent and sullen. Before that he had talked about the meeting with Bonner and Wilson with apparent frankness, saying that while he had been with Bonner Saturday night and had slept in his room he did not know the cause of his death.

Had Known Victim 30 Years.

"When I got here Friday," he said, "I looked up Bonner, whom I have known for thirty years. Wilson was with him and after we had a few drinks we went to Bonner's room, where we stayed drinking until 1 o'clock, when Wilson went away. Then Bonner and I went to bed. Bonner took the bed and I slept on the lounge. About 3 o'clock Bonner woke me up and sent me out to buy drinks. I went to Wilson's room and stayed there until 7 o'clock in the morning. I do not know whether Bonner was in bed or lying on the floor when I left the room."

When arrested Farrell's face was scratched and bruised as if he had been fighting. He stated to the police that he did not know how he had come by the scratches.

To Capt. Boyd Farrell admitted that he had been sentenced to a life term in the Stillwater, Minn., penitentiary for murder, but had been pardoned after serving eight years.

Bonner's body was discovered by Charles Wilson. He made the following statement to the police: "I met Bonner and Farrell in the O. K. House bar Saturday night. I have lived in the house with Bonner for 12 years. We went upstairs to Bonner's room on the third floor. We had a few drinks and at 8:30 o'clock I went to my own room across the hall. About 3 o'clock two women came to my room, woke me up and asked me to buy drinks. Farrell seemed to have money and I went to Bonner's room to get him to treat. It was dark in the room and I felt my way over to the sofa where Farrell was sleeping and awoke him, and we went back to my room, where we stayed until 7 o'clock, when we went out to breakfast. I noticed that Farrell's face was scratched and asked him about it, but he said he did not know how it was done.

"After breakfast we left the women and went back to the house. I went upstairs to wake Bonner to give him a drink. I found him lying on the floor. I called Farrell to help me lift him. I had to call him twice before he came. When he came he said, 'I don't think he's dead.' Then I went out and notified the police. I don't know whether or not Bonner was murdered."

Heard Scuffling in the Room.

Mrs. Mary Leach lives on the second floor of the hotel directly beneath the room occupied by Bonner. Mrs. Leach told the police that she was wakened early Sunday morning by scuffling and loud talking in the room above. Then she heard a man cry out, "O, God, don't kill me." After that she heard the sound of a body falling on the floor. Later in the morning she heard men and women singing and laughing in Wilson's room.

N. E. Burch, proprietor of the O. K. House, stated to the police that Farrell went to the bar about 4 o'clock Sunday morning and bought liquor for which he paid with a $10 bill. He was under the influence of liquor and his face was scratched as if he had been fighting.

When the police arrived at the house they found that Bonner had been shockingly murdered. His face and head were crushed and bruised, his eyes blacked and his nose broken. The furniture of the room was broken and scattered about, as though a struggle had taken place. The coverings had been torn from the bed and were damp with blood. Wilson's room was broken open and the blood-stained lamp found.

When Annie Bell and Rose McGee were arrested they admitted that they had been in Wilson's room early in the morning drinking, but denied all knowledge of the murder, saying that they did not see Bonner during their stay.

Bonner was well known to river men and had been running on the Mississippi for years. He was recently on the steamer Sidney, but two weeks ago left and was to go to work for the Diamond Jo line next week.

CLEW IN STRANGLER MYSTERY

Policeman Under Suspicion at Evansville May Be Placed in Custody.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Nov. 18.—A policeman, suspected of the murder of Lena Renner last Monday, will probably be arrested before noon. An important witness whose affidavit is desired is missing. If this witness cannot be found the arrest may be delayed. There is new development in the murder of Mrs. Railey. In the policeman under suspicion it is believed one of the stranglers has been found.

BURGLAR'S MASK ENDS LOVE'S DREAM

Wife of Man Whom Doctor Foiled Tells Her Story.

QUARREL AFTER DISCOVERY

HUSBAND WAS UNABLE TO EXPLAIN ARTICLES HE POSSESSED.

Left His 17-Year-Old Bride When She Insisted on Knowing Why He Kept Masks, Pincers and Wire.

The dream of love of Alice Byrd of 1911 South Jefferson avenue, a 17-year-old St. Louis girl, who married Arthur Boyers on Sept. 19 last, was dispelled three days after their marriage by finding a burglar's mask in her husband's trunk.

She demanded an explanation and Boyers said the mask was one he had worn to masquerade balls at his old home in Lynn, Mass., and that he treasured it because of its blissful memories.

Later Mrs. Boyers demanded other explanations of her husband with the result that they separated after six weeks of married life.

In the month intervening Mrs. Boyers has not seen her husband.

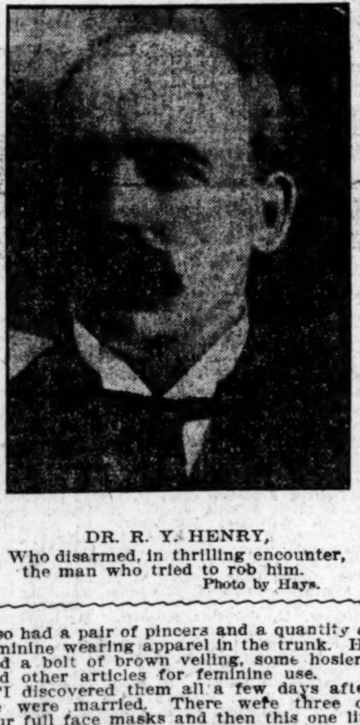
She did not hear of him until last Saturday night, when she was informed by the police that he had been arrested for highway robbery and that a small black mask had been found in his pockets when he was searched at the Soulard street police station.

"When I heard that I was glad we had separated," the girl-bride told the Post-Dispatch. "I thought it was funny that he should have a burglar's mask in his trunk, but I was hardly prepared to hear that he had turned into a real highwayman and had tried to rob one of our neighbors."

Wire in Trunk With Mask.

"Why, he's little and lame and foolish for trying to rob any good-sized man.

"I knew that he had the wire that he tried to tie Dr. Henry's hands with. He had it in the trunk with the masks. He also had a pair of pincers and a quantity of feminine wearing apparel in the trunk. He had a bolt of brown veiling, some hosiery and other articles for feminine use.



DR. R. Y. HENRY,
Who disarmed, in thrilling encounter, the man who tried to rob him.
Photo by Hays.

"I discovered them all a few days after we were married. There were three or four full face masks and then this one little black mask that fits over the eyes and nose.

"He had explanations for all the articles. He said the articles of feminine apparel were presents he had given to a former sweetheart who had returned them when they decided not to marry.

"He said the masks were old keepsakes, that he had worn them at his old home and they brought back many pleasant memories of his younger days. The pincers and the wire, he said, he needed in his business.

"One day I started to trim a hat with a piece of the wire, but he told me that he needed the wire.

"Well, we didn't get along and he left me Oct. 19. I wasn't sorry then and I'm not sorry now that he left."

Mrs. Boyers is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Byrd. She is petite and graceful, with a girlish figure and rather a pretty face framed with an attractive shade of brownish hair. Her eyes are blue and there are dimples in her cheeks.

Footpad's Plan Was Unique.

Highwayman Arthur A. Boyers' method of robbing Dr. Robert Y. Henry Saturday night was unique. Dr. Henry's method of capturing his robber was striking. It was a remarkable case of turning the tables.

The highwayman conceived the idea of hiring a buggy and inducing a physician to take a ride with him on the pretense that a sick person needed immediate attention. The rest of the plot is obvious.

Boyers called at the homes of several physicians, who were out, before stopping in front of Dr. Henry's home at 2027 South Jefferson avenue.

"There's a sick woman at the corner of Nebraska avenue and Utah street," said the man in the buggy. "She is about to die, and I want you to see her at once."

"As soon as I can order my buggy," returned the doctor.

"No need to do that," said the stranger. "Just jump right in with me. I've got a fast horse."

Dr. Henry remarked to his wife that he did not like the looks of the man, who wore his cap pulled down low. He handed Mrs. Henry $70 which he had in his pocket. Then he stepped into the stranger's buggy.

"I'm afraid she'll be dead before we get there," said the driver, just before he reached Nebraska avenue, at the same time pressing the chill muzzle of a revolver against the doctor's temple.

Orders Doctor Out of Buggy.

"Don't you try to shoot," commanded the highwayman, "but hand out all the money you've got."

Dr. Henry handed over $1.75, all he had with him.

"Get out of the buggy," commanded the robber. Dr. Henry got out.

"Now turn your back," was the next command. The doctor complied.

The revolver was still pointed at him. It was midnight, the spot was a lonely one, the stranger had the advantage.

The highwayman sat in his buggy and

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ERNEST SETON, NATURALIST, HUNTS WITH A POST-DISPATCH CAMERA THE ANIMALS IN FOREST PARK

ERNEST SETON,
Naturalist, bugling at the charging elk in Forest Park.
Photographed by the Post-Dispatch.

Along the Muddy Banks of the River Des Peres He Finds Traces of Many Denizens of the Forest.

Ernest Seton—he has cast the Thompson appendage to his name aside—"hunted" the wild animals of the Louisiana Purchase on the site of the World's Fair Sunday.

Mr. Seton, author of "Wild Animals I Have Known," is an inexorable hunter—with a camera—he has not used a gun for years—he would not kill the humblest animal—for he loves them—and they speak to him—speak in the oldest language on earth—the language of tracks—the sign talk.

Mrs. Grace Seton, his wife, an artist and naturalist herself, Mr. Seton and a Post-Dispatch representative entered the World's Fair grounds Sunday to interview the animals.

Some of the animals were at home—many others were too busy to be seen—but all left messages that the great interpreter of the animal world translated.

First Mr. Seton bugled at the elk, confined in the pens near the lake. People who heard Mr. Seton bugle at the Odeon Saturday know the elk call. Let others imagine a hideous noise something between the shriek of a steam whistle and the dinner call of a hungry calf—that is the elk call—one of them.

The first call Mr. Seton made was a "how do you do?" The big elk liked that and came up to salute. Next Mr. Seton sounded the battle challenge—a hoarse call to mortal combat that set the bull elk pawing like an angry shorthorn.

Then edging over to the does's pen Mr. Seton shouted the mating call—the note of triumph that proclaims the trumpeter monarch of the herd.

The bull elk couldn't endure this. He charged like a runaway street car, straigh, swift at the human figure outside the fence—that strange human figure with the elk voice.

Crash, the bull elk butted the tall fence and a piece of his horn, 4 inches long, flew over the barrier.

"I'm glad I am not loose in the woods with that fellow. He's a bit vicious today," said the animal man.

The bear over at the pit recognized a friend when Mr. Seton leaned over the railing. He came up and tried to rub noses.

"He looks like Grumpy—where's Johnny Bear?" asked the naturalist.

"Burr-rr-r g-r-r-r," called a voice from the neighboring cage.

Shows His Ugly Teeth.

"Hello—a badger. Ho—badg—bad… ed Mr. Seton.

"Gr—rr—ru—gr," said the gray … showing his ugly teeth.

"Bloo—bloo—bloo—yu," somethin…

"Ah—my old friend the bluejay … Mr. Seton. "He's a fine fellow, th… jay—always joyous—gay of heart an… age. Let us follow him."

The bluejay's flight led straight … heart of the World's Fair site.

The naturalist sank to his knee… in the muddy hollow of the Des Pe…

"Here is the record of the anima… live in the Fair grounds. All beast… here for water—the path of a river … hunter's guidebook. See—here is th… sage the muskrat left."

Mr. Seton pointed to trace of trac…

"See—here a nice old mother m… came down to the tender willow sh… show her children how to make the… living. She has weaned them and is … ing them woodland craft.

"You can see only one big muskrat … —but see the little indentations i… That's where the little muskrats … right in the path of the mother, kn… that she would steer them clear o… falls and cunningly hid steel traps.

"Here—see a multitude of muskrat t… —one large track, many impressio… small feet—that shows danger—th… muskrat stopped so quickly that … pressed her feet deep into the mud … little ones gather around her waiting … the warning word. Let us look about …

"Here—here it is," Mr. Seton cried … ously like a boy with a tart. "Se… big track, somewhat like a sma… that's fox. No wonder mother … was scared. Hungry foxes d… young muskrats—happily he … family—and the wind was … otherwise fox nose would … muskrat smell."

On into the woods went … naturalist. One could … ure that the plunge … him.

"Squirrels, rabb… o'possum in hu… mink, weazel … munk, gop…

World's Fair Grounds, is a real wilderness," said he.

Sees Traces of Many Animals.

His searching eyes and minute observation had enabled him to see the tracks or traces of each animal that he named.

"A famous place for squirrels," said Mr. Seton speaking of the trees on Fine Arts building hill. "Those oak trees bear the fattest nuts for the squirrels' winter granery—and the pin oaks—the sweet chinky pin nuts grow there."

But the uplands were for sight alone. Down to the creek bed where the animals write their history, was the command.

"Look, here's Ring Tail, the big coon. He's a greater fisherman than Grover Cleveland. Notice how the mud is cut in sharp lines from the water edge. That tells Ring Tail fished and dragged the crawfish out to bank.

"Ring Tail is a duck hunter, too; he likes fat drakes. If ducks dared sleep on the water Ring Tail would swim so softly up and grab one quick as a wink.

"Here is the mink trail—I don't like minks—they are killers; they cut throats for blood alone—minks are twin brothers to head hunters and game hogs.

"It's a pity that this fine park can't be left a wilderness, a hunting ground for the naturalist, a home for the animals that now live here.

"I wish the World's Fair people would establish a big animal exhibit as part of the fair, not a menagerie where the beasts are caged, but a fenced park where all wild things can appear in something like their natural state. For sake of room all animals that live together in peace could be put in the same pens. Such an exhibition would attract many persons and a better acquaintance with our little brothers of the woods would lead us to consider them more and spare them oftener."

The walk had led to the outer edge of the wilderness—wilderness no more, for the trees are ashes now.

For the last stage of the journey the author had not spoken often. He was in the presence of death—the end of the things he loves most—trees and animals—the conception of a great glittering city of staff and marble—sparking lagoons and singing cascades had entered his mind. Instead he watched the felled trees, the cunningly hidden dens laid bare by the ax.

"I would rather have this park as it was than the great city you will erect," he said as he turned away from the wilderness and started back to the city.

LIGHT SHOWERS TONIGHT

Dr. Hyatt Declares Rain and Warmer Weather Are in Store fo…

… tonight," … "but not …on's corn crop. … showers are …le. The weath… …l be unsettled …t and Tues-

…ner weather is …ed. There was … the pans and ponds Monday …, with a 7 … temperature …y 27 degrees. …mercury rose … however, and … above freezing … before noon. … was frost … Tampa, Fla.

"HEALTH DEPARTMENT GUILTY OF NEGLIGENCE"

—CORONER FUNKHOUSER

Verdict on the Death of Seven St. Louis Children Who Contracted Lockjaw From Diphtheria Antitoxin Issued by the Health Department.

EXPERTS CONTRADICTED CITY BACTERIOLOGIST RAVOLD

Coroner Funkhouser at 10:30 this morning rendered his verdict on the deaths of Jacob Centuria, Agnes Adele Keenan, Isaac Stien, Flora Fuerst, Marie Z. Keenan, Emma Ernst and Viola Baker, all of whom died recently of lockjaw (tetanus). The verdict is in part as follows;

We find that the deceased came to their death from tetanus, following the administration of diphtheria antitoxin containing tetanus toxin, said diphtheria antitoxin having been prepared and issued by the health department of the city of St. Louis, and bearing dates on labels of Aug. 24 and Sept. 30, 1901.

This testimony shows that the health department owned a horse named Jim, stabled at the Poorhouse Farm and used in the preparation of the diphtheria antitoxin. Said horse Jim developed tetanus on Oct. 2, 1901, and was at once killed. Blood was drawn from said horse Jim on Aug. 24, 1901, the serum of which was nontoxic.

Blood was again drawn from said horse (Jim) Sept. 30 (during the period of the incubation of tetanus), the serum of which contained tetanus toxin.

The serum drawn Sept. 30, 1901, was issued by the health department in bottles bearing labels, respectively dated Aug. 24, 1901, and Sept. 30.

That the toxic serum, drawn Sept. 30, 1901, was issued, is shown by the fact that the toxic serum dated Aug. 24, 1901, and all the serum dated Sept. 30, 1901, are identical in the following particulars: First, in appearance; second, absolute weight; third, specific gravity; fourth, freezing point; fifth, chemical reaction; sixth, spectrum analysis; seventh, anti-toxic potency, and eighth, toxic value in producing tetanus in lower animals.

The nontoxic serum, drawn Aug. 24, 1901, and so labeled, in nowise agrees with the toxic serum in any of the above characteristics.

The presence of tetanus toxin in the diphtheria antitoxin shows negligence upon the part of the health department in the preparation of the said diphtheria antitoxin and in the issuance thereof.

ROBERT M. FUNKHOUSER, Coroner;
FRANK BOOGHER, M. D.,
JOHN T. FITZSIMMONS, Deputy.

After rendering his verdict, Coroner Funkhouser said to the Post-Dispatch:

"For the present, I have done all that I can do. I am not prepared to say I am through with the case, but, so far as I know now, there is nothing more for me to do. I have rendered the verdict and that is all I have been called upon to do thus far."

The coroner's verdict is based upon the testimony of physicians who attended the lockjaw cases and the report of the bacteriologists employed by the city to make tests of the infected serum and ascertain the responsibility for it.

The experts are Dr. Carl Fich, Dr. B. Meade Bolton and Dr. E. C. Walden. Their original intention was to conduct their investigations individually, but they say in their reports that not enough materials were available and they worked together.

They examined several patients who had been infected by city antitoxin before they began their experiments. In their experiments, 74 guinea pigs were used.

The report of the experts contains 7000 words. It was filed with Coroner Funkhouser Friday, and was given out with the verdict Monday. Supplementary to the report the experts present conclusions, which follow in full:

CONCLUSIONS OF THE EXPERTS.

As a result of our investigations, we draw the following conclusions:

The diphtheria antitoxin prepared by the health department of the City of St. Louis and dated Sept. 30 and some of the serum dated Aug. 24, was the cause of the recent deaths from tetanus in the cases where this antitoxin was used.

This antitoxin was sterile, but contained the toxin of the tetanus bacillus in considerable amount.

There were two different sera issued under date of Aug. 24, one portion not containing the tetanus toxin, and characterized by other properties, while the other contained the tetanus toxin and was identical with the serum bearing the date of Sept. 30.

The most important result we have arrived at is the positive demonstration that the toxic serum dated Aug. 24 and that dated Sept. 30 are identical. From this we conclude that the serum of Sept. 30 was issued without having been tested by the proper methods, and that a part of it was filled into bottles bearing the date of Aug. 24, or was furnished with labels having previously been stamped with this date. We are justified in drawing this conclusion from two observations.

First, that the serum of Sept. 30 was issued before there was time to have performed the simple tests necessary to determine the antitoxic potency of the serum.

Second, in the same way, serum dated Oct. 23, came into our possession on Nov. 1. This serum had been issued to physicians by the health department, and by them returned to the coroner. It is obvious from this that no animal experiments could have been made with this antitoxin. As this was the case with the serum of Oct. 23, it is the natural inference that the serum of Sept. 30 was issued in the same way.

It is impossible for latent tetanus to have existed in the horse, Jim, from Aug. 24 to Sept. 30, as no well-authenticated cases have been reported in which the incubation period extended over seven days in experiments directed to test this point. The period of incubation cannot be determined from clinical observation, but from the nature of the case.

It therefore follows from this that the serum drawn on Aug. 24 was free from tetanus, but that the serum of Sept. 30 was drawn during the period of incubation, and had it been tested upon animals it must necessarily have revealed its toxic properties.

From the foregoing facts we are forced to conclude that the diphtheria antitoxin prepared by the city health department has been issued before it was possible to have obtained results from the absolutely necessary tests. Had these tests been per…

Why did not the coroner look up the records and learn the exact number of bottles given out, and the dates of distribution? He would then have learned that the total number of bottles given out did not exceed the number filled from the Aug. 24 drawing. Then how could he account for the bottles supposed to have been drawn Sept. 30?

"The experts' statement that tetanus could be latent in a horse for only a few days is also a surprise to me. The experience of veterinarians proves the c… trary, as was shown by testimony a… inquest."

HEALTH DEPARTMENT'S RE…

Health Commissioner Starkloff is … the city on a hunting trip. In his absence Charles W. Francis, assistant health commissioner, is in charge of the department. He said:

"I shall read the report of the experts and the coroner's verdict and then take such action as I deem to be my duty.

"As the manufacture of antitoxin by the city has been stopped, the case is not now one of emergency, and I may not decide for several days on the action which I should take."

SUMMONS FOR KILPATRICK

Chief Desmond Receives Capias From Texas, Where Train Robber Is Wanted for Murder.

Chief of Detectives Desmond received a capias Monday morning for Ben Kilpatrick from Sheriff Howze of Paint Rock, Tex., where Kilpatrick is wanted for the murder of William Thornton.

KEEPING SLOT MACHINE FELONY

Warrant Issued for W. H. Darlington Because City Attorney Would Not Prosecute in Police Court.

A warrant was issued Monday against W. H. Darlington of 3524 North Broadway, charging him with keeping a slot machine. The assistant prosecuting attorney said that he was averse to issuing the warrant, but City Attorney Dyer's action rendered it necessary.

"The law makes it a felony to maintain a slot machine," said Mr. Johnson, "but no jury will send a man to the penitentiary for keeping one. The punishment is too heavy. Mr. Dyer will not prosecute in the police court, and I am forced to make this graver charge."

HORSES, VEHICLES, LIVERY

Fashion's Latest Decrees to Be Seen at the New York Horse Show Opening.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—The New York horse show, the great American horse fair, began today at Madison Square Garden. The formal entries outnumber by hundreds those of any previous year and represent the noblest type to which the thoroughbred has been developed and the greatest advance in vehicle building with the latest decrees of fashion as to livery, harness and handling.

Perfect weather favored the opening morning and, with a heavy advance sale, the management hopes to exceed the successes of the past. The early attendance was slender, but it increased as the day advanced and tonight there will be a bumper crowd in the huge auditorium.

The hour from 9 to 10 was given to exercising, and hundreds of shiny coated horses did a warming trot or canter in the bark-covered ring ridden or guided by grooms. Col. De Lancey A. Kane and Senator George Peabody Wetmore were the ring committee for the day and William C. Whitney and William H. Taller will be in charge tonight.

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INDICATIONS—UNSETTLED; WARMER.

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MAN PERMITTED TO SLAP HIS WIFE

"No Divorce for One Slap," Says Judge Spencer.

MRS. KERR WILL REMAIN MARRIED

BOUTEMEY'S FAMILY TROUBLES ARE PURELY FINANCIAL.

Mrs. Perry Given Decree From Ira W. Perry With Alimony and Custody of Son—Cause Desertion.

A single slap in the face is not sufficient ground for divorce, according to Judge Selden P. Spencer of the circuit court.

Such was his ruling Monday morning in the case of Eva H. Kerr against Robert J. Kerr for divorce.

Mrs. Kerr alleged that her husband had a bad temper and was surly and cross to her. As proof, she charged that he had struck her once in the face because she complained to him.

"There is no excuse for the husband's cruel act," said Judge Spencer. "But the single act of roughness in temper is not a ground for divorce, and when forgiveness and reconciliation are sought they ought to be granted.

"It is only when the indignities are of such a character and so long continued as to render the condition of the suffering party intolerable that the law makes them a ground for divorce."

Mrs. Kerr's chief complaint against her husband, Judge Spencer said, seemed to be that in 1900, when they lived in Phoenix, Ariz., he had invited a cousin of his to come and visit them. She came and stayed two months. According to Mrs. Kerr's testimony Friday the cousin went riding afternoons with Mr. Kerr and often went to his office with him. She finally objected and then it was that Mr. Kerr slapped her.

Judge Spencer also refused to grant Mrs. Henrietta Boutemey a divorce from Louis Victor Boutemey, both of whom are teachers of French. The evidence showed, said Judge Spencer in his opinion, that the trouble between them was mostly financial.

Mrs. Boutemey testified that her husband did not work and support her, and Mr. Boutemey replied that he worked and had money, with which he supported her while she lived with him, but not after she left him. The evidence is in hopeless conflict, says the opinion, although it is evident that the husband is chiefly at fault.

The testimony showed, however, according to Judge Spencer, that Mrs. Boutemey had been supported either by herself, her husband, or by their joint efforts, and that she is now living apart from him and would not return. Such facts, it is said, do not constitute indignities and the suit was therefore dismised.

After a married life of 35 years Adam Mueller was divorced from Mrs. Louise Mueller by Judge Zachritz of the circuit court Monday morning. Mr. Mueller, who is 65 years old, testified that Mrs. Mueller's love for travel in the West had led her to desert him in 1898, and he had not seen her since.

It was the second desertion, he said, as once before she had been away six years travelling in the west. Since she went in 1898 he had received a letter from her in which she admitted her fault, but said that her roving disposition made home unpleasant to her.

Mrs. Lillie Perry was granted a divorce from Ira W. Perry Monday by Judge Zachritz on the ground of desertion. She also secured the custody of her 17-year-old son, Ira W. Perry, and $100 a month alimony. Mr. Perry is the secretary of the Ira Perry Pie Co. The testimony in the case showed that he was married to Mrs. Perry in April, 1883, and left her in June, 1900.

HE IS THIRTEEN AND UNLUCKY

Lawyer Semple Charged With Counterfeiting May Go to Prison With Twelve Alleged Conspirators.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 18.—John L. Semple, a lawyer of Camden, N. J., was placed on trial today in the United States District Court before Judge McPherson, charged with aiding and abetting Arthur Taylor and Baldwin Bredwell in making, issuing and attempting to circulate counterfeit $20 notes.

Semple is the thirteenth man to be arrested in connection with the Lancaster, Pa., revenue stamp counterfeiting conspiracy, conceived by Jacobs and Kendig, cigar manufacturers of that city, in 1897. Nine men have gone to the penitentiary after conviction on charges growing out of the conspiracy, and three others are in the county prison awaiting sentence.

MANY WANT THE HOLY OFFICE

In the Midst of Religious Politics and Scheming the Pope's Health Is Tenderly Cared For.

ROME, Nov. 18.—In spite of persistent and apparently well founded denials that there is any imminent danger of the pope's disease the air is full of speculation indicating that his end is not far off.

Rumors of intrigue and slate-making, which it is impossible to keep from the outside, exude from every crevice of the jealously guarded inner precincts of the vatican.

The pope's closest personal attendants include his faithful valet, Centro, one chaplain and one minor prelate who constantly and tenderly guard his material comfort. His meals are served in his private apartment at a small table at which none other, even a crowned head, may sit down. No feminine hand may tend or soothe the august invalid.

DEPEW'S CHRISTMAS WEDDING

The Senator Will Go to France to Wed and Will Return at Once to Washington.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Senator Chauncey M. Depew says that his wedding will take place on Christmas day. In an interview he states:

"I am going down to Charleston, S. C., to make an oration at the opening of the fair on Dec. 1. Then I am going to Washington to take my seat in the Senate. I will remain in Washington until the Senate adjourns for the holidays, which will be Dec. 18.

On that date I will start for New York and at the earliest possible moment I will take a steamer for France. If things go as smoothly as I expect them to I will be in Paris by Christmas, on which day I hope to be married.

"I will return to this city with my bride after the ceremony and will take up my residence here. Of course, we will open a house in Washington, but only during the time the Senate is in session."

OLD MAN SLAIN ON THE LEVEE

John Bonner, Riverman, Found in Pool of Blood.

MURDERED IN LODGING HOUSE

JOHN FARRELL'S CLOTHING SPOTTED WITH BLOOD.

Mrs. Mary Leach Heard a Scuffle in the Room Where Farrell and the Aged Victim Slept.

John Bonner, a riverman, 60 years old, was brutally murdered in a room in the O. K. House, a hotel at the corner of Franklin avenue and the Levee, early Sunday morning. When his body was discovered his head and face had been beaten almost beyond recognition.

John Farrell, 58 years old; Charles Wilson, 60 years old; Annie Bell, 35 years old, and Rose McGee, 40 years old, were arrested, pending an investigation of the affair, and locked up in the Fourth district police station.

The police have a heavy stone cup, covered with blood, found in Bonner's room, a broken blood-stained lamp and a blood-stained handkerchief. The cup was found under the lounge in Bonner's room, on which Wilson slept Saturday night, and the handkerchief under the bench in the cell in which he was confined in the Fourth district station. The lamp was found in the room occupied by Wilson, across the hall from that in which Bonner was murdered. The woodwork in Bonner's room was covered with bloody finger marks and there were bloody footprints leading across the hall between Bonner's and Wilson's rooms.

John Farrell came to St. Louis Friday from Cairo. He met Bonner and Wilson in the bar of the O. K. House Saturday evening. After drinking at the bar for awhile the three went up to Bonner's room. About 8 o'clock Sunday morning the police were notified that Bonner had been murdered and arrested Farrell and Wilson, and later arrested Annie Bell of 712 Carr street and Rose McGee at 516 South Second street. When arrested all four admitted being at the O. K. House Sunday morning.

When taken to the police station blood stains were found on Farrell's undershirt. When asked how the blood came there he became reticent and sullen. Before that he had talked about the meeting with Bonner and Wilson with apparent frankness, saying that while he had been with Bonner Saturday night and had slept in his room he did not know the cause of his death.

Had Known Victim 30 Years.

"When I got here Friday," he said, "I looked up Bonner, whom I have known for thirty years. Wilson was with him and after we had a few drinks we went to Bonner's room, where we stayed drinking until 1 o'clock, when Wilson went away. Then Bonner and I went to bed. Bonner took the bed and I slept on the lounge. About 3 o'clock Bonner woke me up and sent me out to buy drinks. I went to Wilson's room and stayed there until 7 o'clock in the morning. I do not know whether Bonner was in bed or lying on the floor when I left the room."

When arrested Farrell's face was scratched and bruised as if he had been fighting. He stated to the police that he did not know how he had come by the scratches.

To Capt. Boyd Farrell admitted that he had been sentenced to a life term in the Stillwater, Minn., penitentiary for murder, but had been pardoned after serving eight years.

Bonner's body was discovered by Charles Wilson. He made the following statement to the police: "I met Bonner and Farrell in the O. K. House bar Saturday night. I have lived in the house with Bonner for 12 years. We went upstairs to Bonner's room on the third floor. We had a few drinks and at 8:30 o'clock I went to my own room across the hall. About 3 o'clock two women came to my room, woke me up and asked me to buy drinks. Farrell seemed to have money and I went to Bonner's room to get him to treat. It was dark in the room and I felt my way over to the sofa where Farrell was sleeping and awoke him, and we went back to my room, where we stayed until 7 o'clock, when we went out to breakfast. I noticed that Farrell's face was scratched and asked him about it, but he said he did not know how it was done.

"After breakfast we left the women and went back to the house. I went upstairs to wake Bonner to give him a drink. I found him lying on the floor. I called Farrell to help me lift him. I had to call him twice before he came. When he came he said, 'I don't think he's dead.' Then I went out and notified the police. I don't know whether or not Bonner was murdered."

Heard Scuffling in the Room.

Mrs. Mary Leach lives on the second floor of the hotel directly beneath the room occupied by Bonner. Mrs. Leach told the police that she was wakened early Sunday morning by scuffling and loud talking in the room above. Then she heard a man cry out, "O, God, don't kill me." After that she heard the sound of a body falling on the floor. Later in the morning she heard men and women singing and laughing in Wilson's room.

N. E. Burch, proprietor of the O. K. House, stated to the police that Farrell went to the bar about 4 o'clock Sunday morning and bought liquor for which he paid with a $10 bill. He was under the influence of liquor and his face was scratched as if he had been fighting.

When the police arrived at the house they found that Bonner had been shockingly murdered. His face and head were crushed and bruised, his eyes blacked and his nose broken. The furniture of the room was broken and scattered about, as though a struggle had taken place. The coverings had been torn from the bed and were damp with blood. Wilson's room was broken open and the blood-stained lamp found.

When Annie Bell and Rose McGee were arrested they admitted that they had been in Wilson's room early in the morning drinking, but denied all knowledge of the murder, saying that they did not see Bonner during their stay.

Bonner was well known to river men and had been running on the Mississippi for years. He was recently on the steamer Sidney, but two weeks ago left and was to go to work for the Diamond Jo line next week.

CLEW IN STRANGLER MYSTERY

Policeman Under Suspicion at Evansville May Be Placed in Custody.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Nov. 18.—A policeman, suspected of the murder of Lena Renner last Monday, will probably be arrested before noon. An important witness whose affidavit is desired is missing. If this witness cannot be found the arrest may be delayed. There is new development in the murder of Mrs. Railey. In the policeman under suspicion it is believed one of the stranglers has been found.

BURGLAR'S MASK ENDS LOVE'S DREAM

Wife of Man Whom Doctor Foiled Tells Her Story.

QUARREL AFTER DISCOVERY

HUSBAND WAS UNABLE TO EXPLAIN ARTICLES HE POSSESSED.

Left His 17-Year-Old Bride When She Insisted on Knowing Why He Kept Masks, Pincers and Wire.

The dream of love of Alice Byrd of 1911 South Jefferson avenue, a 17-year-old St. Louis girl, who married Arthur Boyers on Sept. 19 last, was dispelled three days after their marriage by finding a burglar's mask in her husband's trunk.

She demanded an explanation and Boyers said the mask was one he had worn to masquerade balls at his old home in Lynn, Mass., and that he treasured it because of its blissful memories.

Later Mrs. Boyers demanded other explanations of her husband with the result that they separated after six weeks of married life.

In the month intervening Mrs. Boyers has not seen her husband.

She did not hear of him until last Saturday night, when she was informed by the police that he had been arrested for highway robbery and that a small black mask had been found in his pockets when he was searched at the Soulard street police station.

"When I heard that I was glad we had separated," the girl-bride told the Post-Dispatch. "I thought it was funny that he should have a burglar's mask in his trunk, but I was hardly prepared to hear that he had turned into a real highwayman and had tried to rob one of our neighbors."

Wire in Trunk With Mask.

"Why, he's little and lame and foolish for trying to rob any good-sized man.

"I knew that he had the wire that he tried to tie Dr. Henry's hands with. He had it in the trunk with the masks. He also had a pair of pincers and a quantity of feminine wearing apparel in the trunk. He had a bolt of brown veiling, some hosiery and other articles for feminine use.

"I discovered them all a few days after we were married. There were three or four full face masks and then this one little black mask that fits over the eyes and nose.

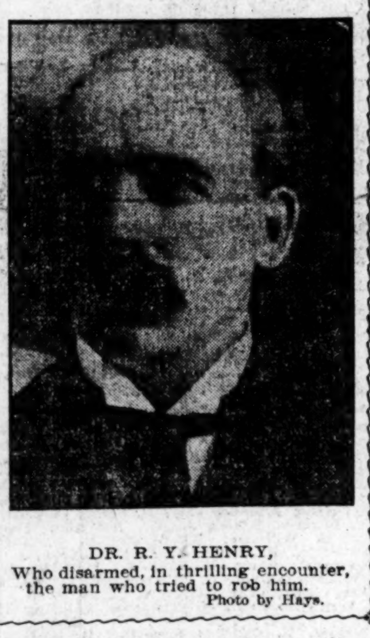
"He had explanations for all the articles. He said the articles of feminine apparel were presents he had given to a former sweetheart who had returned them when they decided not to marry.

"He said the masks were old keepsakes, that he had worn them at his old home and they brought back many pleasant memories of his younger days. The pincers and the wire, he said, he needed in his business.

"One day I started to trim a hat with a piece of the wire, but he told me that he needed the wire.

"Well, we didn't get along and he left me Oct. 19. I wasn't sorry then and I'm not sorry now that he left."

Mrs. Boyers is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Byrd. She is petite and graceful, with a girlish figure and rather a pretty face framed with an attractive shade of brownish hair. Her eyes are blue and there are dimples in her cheeks.



DR. R. Y. HENRY,
Who disarmed, in thrilling encounter, the man who tried to rob him.
Photo by Hays.

Footpad's Plan Was Unique.

Highwayman Arthur A. Boyers' method of robbing Dr. Robert Y. Henry Saturday night was unique. Dr. Henry's method of capturing his robber was striking. It was a remarkable case of turning the tables.

The highwayman conceived the idea of hiring a buggy and inducing a physician to take a ride with him on the pretense that a sick person needed immediate attention. The rest of the plot is obvious.

Boyers called at the homes of several physicians, who were out, before stopping in front of Dr. Henry's home at 2027 South Jefferson avenue.

"There's a sick woman at the corner of Nebraska avenue and Utah street," said the man in the buggy. "She is about to die, and I want you to see her at once."

"As soon as I can order my buggy," returned the doctor.

"No need to do that," said the stranger. "Just jump right in with me. I've got a fast horse."

Dr. Henry remarked to his wife that he did not like the looks of the man, who wore his cap pulled down low. He handed Mrs. Henry $70 which he had in his pocket. Then he stepped into the stranger's buggy.

"I'm afraid she'll be dead before we get there," said the driver, just before he reached Nebraska avenue, at the same time pressing the chill muzzle of a revolver against the doctor's temple.

Orders Doctor Out of Buggy.

"Don't you try to shoot," commanded the highwayman, "but hand out all the money you've got."

Dr. Henry handed over $1.75, all he had with him.

"Get out of the buggy," commanded the robber. Dr. Henry got out.

"Now turn your back," was the next command. The doctor complied.

The revolver was still pointed at him. It was midnight, the spot was a lonely one, the stranger had the advantage.

The highwayman sat in his buggy and

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ERNEST SETON, NATURALIST, HUNTS

WITH A POST-DISPATCH CAMERA

THE ANIMALS IN FOREST PARK

ERNEST SETON,
Naturalist, bugling at the charging elk in Forest Park.
Photographed by the Post-Dispatch.

Along the Muddy Banks of the River Des Peres He Finds Traces of Many Denizens of the Forest.

Ernest Seton—he has cast the Thompson appendage to his name aside—"hunted" the wild animals of the Louisiana Purchase on the site of the World's Fair Sunday.

Mr. Seton, author of "Wild Animals I Have Known," is an inexorable hunter—with a camera—he has not used a gun for years—he would not kill the humblest animal—for he loves them—and they speak to him—speak in the oldest language on earth—the language of tracks—the sign talk.

Mrs. Grace Seton, his wife, an artist and naturalist herself, Mr. Seton and a Post-Dispatch representative entered the World's Fair grounds Sunday to interview the animals.

Some of the animals were at home—many others were too busy to be seen—but all left messages that the great interpreter of the animal world translated.

First Mr. Seton bugled at the elk, confined in the pens near the lake. People who heard Mr. Seton bugle at the Odeon Saturday know the elk call. Let others imagine a hideous noise something between the shriek of a steam whistle and the dinner call of a hungry calf—that is the elk call—one of them.

"The first call Mr. Seton made was a "how do you do?" The big elk liked that and came up to salute. Next Mr. Seton sounded the battle challenge—a hoarse call to mortal combat that set the bull elk pawing like an angry shorthorn.

Then edging over to the doe's pen Mr. Seton shouted the mating call—the note of triumph that proclaims the trumpeter monarch of the herd.

The bull elk couldn't endure this. He charged like a runaway street car, straigh, swift at the human figure outside the fence—that strange human figure with the elk voice.

Crash, the bull elk butted the tall fence and a piece of his horn, 4 inches long, flew over the barrier.

"I'm glad I am not loose in the woods with that fellow. He's a bit vicious today," said the animal man.

The bear over at the pit recognized a friend when Mr. Seton leaned over the railing. He came up and tried to rub noses.

"He looks like Grumpy—where's Johnny Bear?" asked the naturalist.

"Burr-rr-r g-r-r-r," called a voice from the neighboring cage.

Shows His Ugly Teeth.

"Hello—a badger. Ho—badg—bad
ed Mr. Seton.

"Gr—rr—ru—gr," said the gray
showing his ugly teeth.

"Bloo—bloo—bloo—yu," somethin

"Ah—my old friend the bluejay
Mr. Seton. "He's a fine fellow, th
jay—always joyous—gay of heart an
age. Let us follow him."

The bluejay's flight led straight
heart of the World's Fair site.

The naturalist sank to his knee
in the muddy hollow of the Des Pe

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live in the Fair grounds. All beast
here for water—the path of a river
hunter's guidebook. See—here is th
sage the muskrat left."

Mr. Seton pointed to trace of trac

"See—here a nice old mother m
came down to the tender willow sh
show her children how to make the
living. She has weaned them and is
ing them woodland craft.

"You can see only one big muskrat
—but see the little indentations i
That's where the little muskrats
right in the path of the mother, kn
that she would steer them clear o
falls and cunningly hid steel traps.

"Here—see a multitude of muskrat t
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small feet—that shows danger—th
muskrat stopped so quickly that
pressed her feet deep into the mud
little ones gather around her waitin
the warning word. Let us look about

"Here—here it is," Mr. Seton cried
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that's fox. No wonder mother
was scared. Hungry foxes d
young muskrats—happily he d
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On into the woods went
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World's Fair Grounds, is a real wilderness," said he.

Sees Traces of Many Animals.

His searching eyes and minute observation had enabled him to see the tracks or traces of each animal that he named.

"A famous place for squirrels," said Mr. Seton speaking of the trees on Fine Arts building hill. Those oak trees bear the fattest nuts for the squirrels' winter granery—and the pin oaks—the sweet chinkypin nuts grow there."

But the uplands were for sight alone. Down to the creek bed where the animals write their history, was the command.

"Look, here's Ring Tail, the big coon. He's a greater fisherman than Grover Cleveland. Notice how the mud is cut in sharp lines from the water edge. That tells Ring Tail fished and dragged the crawfish out to bank.

"Ring Tail is a duck hunter, too; he likes fat drakes. If ducks dared sleep on the water Ring Tail would swim so softly up and grab one quick as a wink.

"Here is the mink trail—I don't like minks—they are killers; they cut throats for blood alone—minks are twin brothers to head hunters and game hogs.

"It's a pity that this fine park can't be left a wilderness, a hunting ground for the naturalist, a home for the animals that now live here.

"I wish the World's Fair people would establish a big animal exhibit as part of the fair, not a menagerie where the beasts are caged, but a fenced park where all wild things can appear in something like their natural state. For sake of room all animals that live together in peace could be put in the same pens. Such an exhibition would attract many persons and a better acquaintance with our little brothers of the woods would lead us to consider them more and spare them oftener."

The walk had led to the outer edge of the wilderness—wilderness no more, for the trees are ashes now.

For the last stage of the journey the author had not spoken often. He was in the presence of death—the end of the things he loves most—trees and animals—the conception of a great glittering city of staff and marble—sparking lagoons and singing cascades had entered his mind. Instead he watched the felled trees, the cunningly hidden dens laid bare by the ax.

"I would rather have this park as it was than the great city you will erect," he said as he turned away from the wilderness and started back to the city.

LIGHT SHOWERS TONIGHT

Dr. Hyatt Declares Rain and Warmer Weather Are in Store fo

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"HEALTH DEPARTMENT GUILTY OF NEGLIGENCE"

—CORONER FUNKHOUSER

Verdict on the Death of Seven St. Louis Children Who Contracted Lockjaw From Diphtheria Antitoxin Issued by the Health Department.

EXPERTS CONTRADICTED CITY BACTERIOLOGIST RAVOLD

Coroner Funkhouser at 10:30 this morning rendered his verdict on the deaths of Jacob Centuria, Agnes Adele Keenan, Isaac Stien, Flora Fuerst, Marie Z. Keenan, Emma Ernst and Viola Baker, all of whom died recently of lockjaw (tetanus). The verdict is in part as follows;

We find that the deceased came to their death from tetanus, following the administration of diphtheria antitoxin containing tetanus toxin, said diphtheria antitoxin having been prepared and issued by the health department of the city of St. Louis, and bearing dates on labels of Aug. 24 and Sept. 30, 1901.

This testimony shows that the health department owned a horse named Jim, stabled at the Poorhouse Farm and used in the preparation of the diphtheria antitoxin. Said horse Jim developed tetanus on Oct. 2, 1901, and was at once killed. Blood was drawn from said horse Jim on Aug. 24, 1901, the serum of which was nontoxic.

Blood was again drawn from said horse (Jim) Sept. 30 (during the period of the incubation of tetanus), the serum of which contained tetanus toxin.

The serum drawn Sept. 30, 1901, was issued by the health department in bottles bearing labels, respectively dated Aug. 24, 1901, and Sept. 30.

That the toxic serum, drawn Sept. 30, 1901, was issued, is shown by the fact that the toxic serum dated Aug. 24, 1901, and all the serum dated Sept. 30, 1901, are identical in the following particulars: First, in appearance; second, absolute weight; third, specific gravity; fourth, freezing point; fifth, chemical reaction; sixth, spectrum analysis; seventh, anti-toxic potency, and eighth, toxic value in producing tetanus in lower animals.

The nontoxic serum, drawn Aug. 24, 1901, and so labeled, in nowise agrees with the toxic serum in any of the above characteristics.

The presence of tetanus toxin in the diphtheria antitoxin shows negligence upon the part of the health department in the preparation of the said diphtheria antitoxin and in the issuance thereof.

ROBERT M. FUNKHOUSER, Coroner;
FRANK BOOGHER, M. D.,
JOHN T. FITZSIMMONS, Deputy.

After rendering his verdict, Coroner Funkhouser said to the Post-Dispatch:

"For the present, I have done all that I can do. I am not prepared to say I am through with the case, but, so far as I know now, there is nothing more for me to do. I have rendered the verdict and that is all I have been called upon to do thus far."

The coroner's verdict is based upon the testimony of physicians who attended the lockjaw cases and the report of the bacteriologists employed by the city to make tests of the infected serum and ascertain the responsibility for it.

The experts are Dr. Carl Fich, Dr. B. Meade Bolton and Dr. E. C. Walden. Their original intention was to conduct their investigations individually, but they say in their reports that not enough materials were available and they worked together.

They examined several patients who had been infected by city antitoxin before they began their experiments. In their experiments, 74 guinea pigs were used.

The report of the experts contains 7000 words. It was filed with Coroner Funkhouser Friday, and was given out with the verdict Monday. Supplementary to the report the experts present conclusions, which follow in full:

CONCLUSIONS OF THE EXPERTS.

As a result of our investigations, we draw the following conclusions:

The diphtheria antitoxin prepared by the health department of the City of St. Louis and dated Sept. 30 and some of the serum dated Aug. 24, was the cause of the recent deaths from tetanus in the cases where this antitoxin was used.

This antitoxin was sterile, but contained the toxin of the tetanus bacillus in considerable amount.

There were two different sera issued under date of Aug. 24, one portion not containing the tetanus toxin, and characterized by other properties, while the other contained the tetanus toxin and was identical with the serum bearing the date of Sept. 30.

The most important result we have arrived at is the positive demonstration that the toxic serum dated Aug. 24 and that dated Sept. 30 are identical. From this we conclude that the serum of Sept. 30 was issued without having been tested by the proper methods, and that a part of it was filled into bottles bearing the date of Aug. 24, or was furnished with labels having previously been stamped with this date. We are justified in drawing this conclusion from two observations.

First, that the serum of Sept. 30 was issued before there was time to have performed the simple tests necessary to determine the antitoxic potency of the serum.

Second, in the same way, serum dated Oct. 23, came into our possession on Nov. 1. This serum had been issued to physicians by the health department, and by them returned to the coroner. It is obvious from this that no animal experiments could have been made with this antitoxin. As this was the case with the serum of Oct. 23, it is the natural inference that the serum of Sept. 30 was issued in the same way.

It is impossible for latent tetanus to have existed in the horse, Jim, from Aug. 24 to Sept. 30, as no well-authenticated cases have been reported in which the incubation period extended over seven days in experiments directed to test this point. The period of incubation cannot be determined from clinical observation, but from the nature of the case.

It therefore follows from this that the serum drawn on Aug. 24 was free from tetanus, but that the serum of Sept. 30 was drawn during the period of incubation, and had it been tested upon animals it must necessarily have revealed its toxic properties.

From the foregoing facts we are forced to conclude that the diphtheria antitoxin prepared by the city health department has been issued before it was possible to have obtained results from the absolutely nec-
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RAVOLD'S REPLY.

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of the coroner's verdict, Dr.
old, city bacteriologist, said:
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n distributed Sept. 30 was dis-
anyone or under any label. I
entire drawing into the sink on
both Mr. Taylor and I, who was
the office at the time, testified.
positively that all the serum
. 30 was thus destroyed, and the
the experts and the coroner can
my statement in this matter.
tributed 200 bottles of the anti-
Aug. 24. Where are they?

Why did not the coroner look up the records and learn the exact number of bottles given out, and the dates of distribution? He would then have learned that the total number of bottles given out did not exceed the number filled from the Aug. 24 drawing. Then how could he account for the bottles supposed to have been drawn Sept. 30?

"The experts' statement that tetanus could be latent in a horse for only a few days is also a surprise to me. The experience of veterinarians proves the con-trary, as was shown by testimony at the inquest."

HEALTH DEPARTMENT'S RE

Health Commissioner Starkloff is out of the city on a hunting trip. In his absence Charles W. Francis, assistant health commissioner, is in charge of the department. He said:

"I shall read the report of the experts and the coroner's verdict and then take such action as I deem to be my duty.

"As the manufacture of antitoxin by the city has been stopped, the case is not now one of emergency, and I may not decide for several days on the action which I should take."

SUMMONS FOR KILPATRICK

Chief Desmond Receives Capias From Texas, Where Train Robber Is Wanted for Murder.

Chief of Detectives Desmond received a capias Monday morning for Ben Kilpatrick from Sheriff Howze of Paint Rock, Tex., where Kilpatrick is wanted for the murder of William Thornton.

KEEPING SLOT MACHINE FELONY

Warrant Issued for W. H. Darlington Because City Attorney Would Not Prosecute in Police Court.

A warrant as issued Monday against W. H. Darlington of 3524 North Broadway, charging him with keeping a slot machine. The assistant prosecuting attorney said that he was averse to issuing the warrant, but City Attorney Dyer's action rendered it necessary.

"The law makes it a felony to maintain a slot machine," said Mr. Johnson, "but no [illegible] to the penitentiary for keeping one. The punishment is too heavy. Mr. Dyer [illegible] in the police court, and I am forced to make this graver charge."

HORSES, VEHICLES, LIVERY

Fashion's Latest Decrees to Be Seen at the New York Horse Show Opening.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—The New York horse show, the great American horse fair, began today at Madison Square Garden. The formal entries announced hundreds thoroughbred horses which represent the noblest type to which the thoroughbred has been developed and the greatest advance in vehicle building with the latest decrees of fashion as to livery, harness and handling.

Perfect weather favored the opening morning and, with a heavy advance sale, the management hopes to exceed the successes of past years. The early attendance was slender, but it increased as the day advanced and tonight there will be a bumper crowd in the huge auditorium.

The hours from 9 to 12 was given to exercising, and hundreds of shiny coated horses did a walk around the [illegible] covered ring ridden or guided by grooms. Col. De Lancey A. Kane and Senator George Peabody Wetmore were the committee for the day and William C. Whitney and William H. Taller will be in charge tonight.

REDUCING BONDED DEBT.

Call for Payment of $300,000 of Outstanding Missouri Bonds.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

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CANAL TREATY HAS BEEN SIGNED

Text of the Document as Agreed To.

FREE TO ALL THE WORLD

NO RIGHT OF WAR OR BLOCKADE TO BE PERMITTED.

The Isthmian Water Way Is to Be Constructed and Maintained, However, by the United States.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—The new Hay-Pauncefote treaty was signed today at 12:05 by Secretary Hay for the United States and Lord Pauncefote, the British ambassador, for Great Britain.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—A London dispatch is printed here giving what is claimed to be the text of the new Nicaragua canal treaty. The London cable states that the copy of the Nicaragua canal treaty was shown to the correspondent in London by "a high official of the foreign office."

After giving the preamble the dispatch continues:

"It is agreed that the canal may be constructed under the auspices of the government of the United States, either directly, at its own cost, or by gift or loan of money to individuals or corporations or through subscriptions to or purchase of stock or shares, and that, subject to the provisions of the present convention, the said government shall have and enjoy all the rights incident to such construction, as well as the exclusive right of providing for the regulation and management of the canal."

Other provisions follow:

1. The canal shall be free and open to the vessels of commerce and of war of all nations, observing these rules on terms of entire equality, so that there shall be no discrimination against any such nation or its citizens or subjects in respect of the conditions or charges of traffic or otherwise.

2. The canal shall never be blockaded, nor shall any right of war be exercised nor any act of hostility be committed within it.

3. Vessels of war of a belligerent shall not revictual nor take any stores in the canal except so far as may be strictly necessary; and the transit of such vessels through the canal shall be effected with the least possible delay, in accordance with the regulation in force, with only such intermission as may result from the necessities of the service. Prizes shall be in all respects subject to the same rules as vessels of war of the belligerents.

4. No belligerent shall embark or disembark troops, munitions of war or warlike materials in the canal except in case of accidental hindrance of the transit, and in such cases the transit shall be resumed with all possible dispatch.

5. The provisions of this article shall apply to waters adjacent to the canal, within three marine miles of each end. Vessels of war of a belligerent shall not remain in such waters longer than 24 hours at any one time, except in case of distress, and in such cases shall depart as soon as possible; but a vessel of war of one belligerent shall not depart within 24 hours from the departure of a vessel of war of another belligerent.

6. The plant, establishments, buildings and all works necessary to the construction, maintenance and operation of the canal shall be deemed to be part thereof, for the purposes of this convention, and in time of war as in time of peace, shall enjoy complete immunity from attack or injury by belligerents and from acts calculated to impair their usefulness as part of the canal.

This treaty is intended to replace the first Hay-Pauncefote treaty. That convention was amended so extensively by the United States Senate at its last session that the British government declined to ratify it. Within a few weeks negotiations began afresh between Secretary Hay and Lord Pauncefote which have just resulted in the signature of the new treaty drawn with special reference with the objections found by the Senate with the first treaty. The state department will not now make public the text of the new convention.

It is known that the principal point of difference between the new and the failed treaty is the withdrawal of Great Britain from the joint guarantee of the neutrality of the canal, thus leaving the United States the sole guarantor.

REPORT GOES TO PRESIDENT.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—The report of the isthmian canal commission will, it is expected, be placed in the hands of the President at the end of the present week. The document is completed practically, but the necessity of including some necessary data concerning engineering problems makes it impossible to submit the report immediately. The commissioners have reached an agreement upon all the salient facts to be presented in the report and, as already indicated in the Associated Press, the decision of the commission favors the Nicaraguan project, the cost of which is placed at about 75 per cent of the cost of the Panama project.

NEW BURLINGTON DIRECTORS.

Hill, Hammon, Schiff and Gould on the List Chosen.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—The following are the directors of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Co., who were elected today: James J. Hill, J. N. Hill, Norman B. Ream, Robert Bacon, E. H. Harriman, Jacob H. Schiff, George J. Gould, H. McK. Twombly, Charles E. Perkins, Francis W. Hunnewell and J. Malcolm Forbes.

The officers chosen by the new board are: Chairman, Francis W. Hunnewell; president, George B. Harris; first vice-president and treasurer, James C. Peasley; secretary and clerk of the board, T. S. Howland.

Republican League Name Remains.

Judge Douglas of the Circuit Court Monday morning dismissed the petition of L. J. W. Wall and other members of the [illegible] Government Republican League for [illegible] change of the name to the Republican [illegible] Club of Missouri.

The change of name was opposed by the Chauncey I. Filley faction in the club. Joseph T. Tatum conducted the fight against it in the courts.

Judge Douglas held that the amendment of the constitution of the organization changing the name was not properly [illegible]

[illegible] Prevent Bird Killing.

The [illegible]bon Society of Missouri, which was recently organized, has for its purpose the prevention of the wanton and indiscriminate slaughter of birds and game. The first annual meeting of the society will be held Monday night at 8:15 o'clock in the Odeon lecture hall. Persons in sympathy with the objects of the society are invited to be present.

Gold for Europe.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—The following gold engagements have been announced for shipment to Europe tomorrow: Lazard Freres, $2,000,000; Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co., $1,500,000; Kidder, Peabody & Co., $500,000; total, $4,000,000.

[illegible] National City Bank increased its engagement of gold by $300,000, making its [illegible]000. Baring, Magoun & Co. engaged [illegible] additional for Kidder, Peabody [illegible] Boston, making the latter's [illegible]50,000. This brings the [illegible] for tomorrow's [illegible]

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SOUTHERN GIRL WHO IS NOW A PRINCESS.

THE PRINCESS ROSPIGLIOSI.

In Rome, in a palace world famous for its gallery of paintings, lives Prince Joseph Rospigliosi, who a few weeks ago married the former wife of Mr. Frederick H. Parkhurst of Bangor, Me. The new mistress of the Rospigliosi palaces is 35 years of age. She was born in New Orleans, and comes of distinguished stock on her father's and her mother's side. She is a statuesque blonde, with blue eyes and golden hair. She is accomplished and stylish, and she possesses both nerve and tact to a remarkable degree. Her career from the day she was married to Mr. Parkhurst, then a young law student, until she gave her heart and hand to the richest, or, certainly one of the richest men in Italy, has been brimming over with romance. Prince Joseph is no stranger in America. He is known at Newport and at Bar Harbor. Those who are on terms of intimacy with the princess will not be surprised if she visits this country next summer accompanied by her latest catch.

FARMER'S ABSENCE A MYSTERY

He Gave His Wealth to His Family and Left Home Without Explanation.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Nov. 18.—Racked by conscience which gave him no peace, R. A. Grimsby, a wealthy farmer living northeast of this city, left his wife and three children of tender age, to make a new home for himself. He turned over to them all his possessions except a few hundred dollars realized from the sale of stock. This was done to make amends for alleged wrong doings, the nature of which can only be guessed.

Grimsby is his sole accuser. He left his home this week ostensibly to dispose of several car loads of stock in the Chicago market. A letter has come to his wife, so the report has it, to the effect that he could not again face her trusting face nor look into the innocent eyes of his children. The fault was all his own, he said, and he would never return. He declared that he would never enter claim for the farm property, but that it should belong to the wife and the children while they lived. It is one of the most valuable properties in McLean County.

Where Grimsby has gone is a mystery that may never be solved. If he has erred in any way it will create general surprise throughout this district, where he has been well known for ten years as a progressive farmer of the highest character. Mrs. Grimsby also is most favorably known. The friends of the missing man hope that he may return and that the mystery may be explained.

METEOR IGNITED OIL LAKE

Flames Spread Over the Surface Near Tulsa, I. T., and Burned All Day Sunday.

TULSA, I. T., Nov. 18.—Early Sunday morning a meteor fell near here. It came down into one of the several oil lakes and the oil was set on fire. The flames spread over the surface of the lake and burned brilliantly all day Sunday.

Meteors came down in a great shower for about an hour and a half and occasionally through the display could be seen large meteors of exceptional brilliancy. These would explode and send out hundreds of fireballs, which would illuminate the heavens with fine effect and die away instantly. The explosion was accompanied by a distinctly audible report as of an air-gun.

The phenomenon lasted until almost daylight, and even at that time some of the more brilliant of the meteors could be plainly seen.

THREE PERSONS MISSING.

Julius Scheske, Lizzie Woods and John Caspermeyer Gone From Home.

Three missing persons are being sought by the police. Their absence was reported Sunday.

Julius Scheske, 48 years old, is missing from his home, 1809 Dolman street. He has been in bad health for several months. He is said to be partially demented.

Lizzie Woods, 12 years old, is reported as missing from the home of John Baldwin, 4224 Cottage avenue. The girl was taken from St. Mary's Orphan Home two months ago by Mrs. Baldwin.

John C. Caspermeyer of 3113 North Twenty-sixth street is reported missing from his home. He is a laborer, 40 years old, and boarded at the address mentioned.

DAMAGED BY DIRT AN[illegible]

Terminal Company Sued [illegible] for Injury to Prop[illegible]

Christian Hoecht, who live[illegible] avenue, filed suit in the circu[illegible] day against the St. Louis T[illegible] way Co. for $15,000 alleged da[illegible] result of the building of a b[illegible] his property. He says the tre[illegible] injured and the dirt and smok[illegible] the place untenable. His ac[illegible] property, he says, has also [illegible] cut off by an embankment on [illegible] nue.

Alleged Highwayman A[illegible]

Anton Miller is charged wi[illegible] robbery in a warrant issued M[illegible] was arrested at Twenty-second [illegible] nut streets at 12:30 o'clock Mon[illegible] ing on the charge of robbing Alb[illegible] of Madison, Ill., of $5.50 whi[illegible] [illegible]oon at 900 Walnut street.

FEAR OF PAIN KILLS GIRL

Chicago Young Woman Expires While on the Way to Clinic of Dental College.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Fear of a dental operation so affected the feeble heart of Mamie Ferry, a 17-year-old daughter of A. B. Ferry of Oak Park, as to cause her death while she was being taken to the county hospital in a patrol wagon.

Miss Ferry left her home shortly after luncheon to attend a dental clinic at the Chicago College of Dental Surgery. She was of a nervous disposition, and for several days she had contemplated this action with apprehension. Just after alighting from the elevated station at Wood street, she was seen to stagger and fall to the sidewalk. She was carried into the home of Mrs. Grady at 202 Wood street, where restoratives were applied and a doctor summoned.

Her removal to the hospital was ordered and a call was sent to the Lake street police station for a patrol wagon. Before leaving the house the girl revived long enough to give her name and address. She died before the hospital was reached. Her body was taken to the county morgue and her parents informed.

REDMOND SEES ROOSEVELT.

Visitors Astonished at President's Familiarity With Their Mission.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—The Irish parliamentary leaders who are touring this country agitating the Irish cause were given a special audience by President Roosevelt today. The party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Redmond, P. A. McHugh, Thomas O'Donnel, Miss Dalton of Australia, a sister of Mrs. Redmond, and Mr. and Mrs. St. John Gaffney of New Yor. The President received them with cordiality in the reception room adjoining the cabinet room. He astonished his visitors by the intimate knowledge of the Irish situation which he displayed. After greetings had been exchanged on both hands and the President and Mr. Redmond had held a brief private conversation aside from the rest, the President requested the party to go downstairs in order that he might present Mrs. Roosevelt. This was done, and ten minutes were spent in the red parlor. The party was in high spirits when it left the White House.

JUDGES REPLY TO CONVICT.

Burgess and Gantt Answer the Suit Brought by Prisoner Roberts.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

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MINERS FOUGHT MINE GUARDS

One Striker Killed, Another Fatally Wounded.

THREE OF THE GUARDS SHOT

TWO MILITIA COMPANIES PATROLING ENTIRE DISTRICT.

Battle Was Waged From Behind Barricades for an Hour and a Half and 1000 Shots Fired in Hopkins County, Ky.

MADISONVILLE, Ky., Nov. 18.—In a battle which occurred Sunday afternoon between striking miners and mine guards, James H. Smith, negro striker, is dead; George Crouch, another striker, is fatally wounded, while John West, Hut Dawson and Nathan Bush, all guards, are wounded, but none of them dangerously.

The trouble occurred at the mines of the Providence Coal Co., 17 miles from here, and an attack began about 4:30 o'clock. The attacking party, some 75 or 80 strong, first fired on the engine house, and then in a few minutes the company's stables were surrounded. A horse and a mule were killed and several other animals disabled.

By this time the guards were becoming active, and the attackers formed in a semicircle over the brow of the hill. From there they poured a well-directed fire upon the houses occupied by the nonunion employes and their families. Men aroused by the crash of bullets rushed to small timber piles, arranged for use in such an emergency, and from behind these returned the fire.

The attacking party, while sending volley after volley into this quarter, kept up a steady fire on the tipple, engine room, stable and other buildings of the company, while the guards for their part were doing effective work.

The battle raged for almost an hour and a half, when the assailants withdrew, leaving Smith dead and Crouch shot through and through on the field.

Following the battle at the Providence mine there were other riots at other Kentucky mines. An attack was made on the nine guards at the Monarch mines.

There is a report today that two wounded men were taken to Morgantown and one to Sabree and that they are all dead, having been shot while attacking the mines. This report lacks verification, though it is believed that the men who made the attack suffered very greatly from the fight.

In the battle of yesterday morning at least 1000 shots were fired.

Early today a portion of the Madisonville company and some of the Hopkinsville company went to Providence. The men are under command of Capt. Thomas. The town is now under guard by the soldiers.

A terrible state of affairs exists not only at Providence, but all over Hopkins County, and at Empire, in Christian County. There is a state of unrest and no one is surprised at what a day may bring forth. More troops are expected.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE A. A. U.

Many Delegates Present at New York and Much Important Business Before the Convention.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—More than 50 delegates from various parts of the United States were present today when President Edwin E. Babb called the annual meeting of the Amateur Athletic Union to order. Among them were Bartow S. Weeks, James E. Sullivan, James J. Frawley, Metropolitan Association; Walter M. Liginger, Central Association; E. E. Babb, M. F. Winston and Thomas F. Reilley, New England Association; Harry McMillan, J. K. Starritt and Dr. B. Merrill Hopkinson, Atlantic Association; G. T. Hepbron, Y. M. C. A., and L. B. Sharpe, New York Athletic Club, who represented the Pacific Association, the delegates from which were unable to be present.

Officers will be elected. It is expected that President Baab will not be a candidate for re-election.

A great deal of dissatisfaction exists among the clubs in the Metropolitan association, and many protests will be heard from dissatisfied members.

It will be proposed to increase the membership of the board of managers from 15, to be made up of one member from every club in the association.

The question of selecting a handicapper will also come up for discussion. Heretofore, a handicapper has been selected by the board of managers. It is now proposed to have him elected by a vote at the annual meeting.

FUNERAL BREAKS RECORD

Cortege in Honor of Peter McGrath Said to Have Been the Largest Ever Seen in North St. Louis.

The funeral of Peter McGrath, held at his late home, 2500 Slattery street, Sunday afternoon, is said to have been the largest ever seen in North St. Louis.

Mr. McGrath was the father of Detective Thomas B. McGrath. He was 70 years of age and had been a resident of St. Louis 50 years. Ireland was his birthplace. His death occurred Friday.

Mr. McGrath numbered thousands of [illegible] who came from all the walks of [illegible] they respected his memory Sunday [illegible]ing out in immense numbers. [illegible]bsequies were held at St. Teresa's [illegible] Father Diefer presided and paid [illegible]uent tribute to the high character [illegible]adfast faith of the deceased. The [illegible] was crowded to the doors and hun[illegible] were obliged to remain outside. [illegible] the church every street was lined [illegible]arriages. The cortege to the ceme[illegible]as more than three miles long. [illegible] of Police Kiely and members of the department attended the funeral in [illegible]

[illegible] pallbearers were Michael Walsh, Jo[illegible] Marshall, Andrew Hogan, Bryan [illegible] Judge Thomas Morris, Judge Byron, [illegible]el O'Brien and John Devlin. [illegible] interment was in Calvary Ceme[illegible]

[illegible]RESS COMPANY SUSTAINED.

[illegible]ion Involving Use of Revenue Stamps by Shippers.

[illegible]SHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Justice Harlan, [illegible] United States Supreme Court, today [illegible]ed down the opinion of the court in [illegible]ase of Dinsmoor against the Southern [illegible]ess Co., coming to the court on a [illegible] of certiorari from the Circuit Court [illegible]ppeals for the Fifth circuit. The case [illegible]lved the requirement of the express [illegible]pany that shippers should themselves [illegible] the revenue stamp on bills of lading [illegible]ch were made necessary under the war [illegible]nue act of 1898. The case originated in [illegible], where complaint was made before [illegible] railroad commission on account of [illegible] company's stamp regulation. [illegible]ssion made an order requiring [illegible]mpany to supply the stamps [illegible] company expressed a willi[illegible] [illegible]ply. Mr. Dinsmore, being a [illegible] the express company, [illegible]njoin the company. The [illegible]ppeals decided against [illegible] the case into the Su[illegible] [illegible]arlan's opinion af[illegible] Court, largely on [illegible]tory act of the [illegible] repeated the [illegible] of express

THIRTEEN HEIRS TO AS MANY MILLIONS

LOST PAPERS AFFECTING M'CLINTOCK ESTATE RECOVERED.

HEIRS TO MEET HERE FRIDAY

Title to East St. Louis Property in Dispute Many Years May Now Be Cleared.

It is reported from Chicago that, by the discovery of documents for many years believed to be destroyed, title to the estate of the late James McClintock of East St. Louis may be perfected and $13,500,000 left by the deceased may be divided between 13 heirs.

Mr. McClintock formerly owned a large portion of the townsite of East St. Louis. Several years ago persons purporting to be the McClintock heirs threatened to sue the city of East St. Louis, but nothing came of it.

A year ago the courts decided to give the great estate to 13 heirs, among whom are Mrs. G. Wash Floyd of 2001 Michigan avenue, Chicago, her daughter, Miss Pearl, and her cousin, Miss Phebe Floyd.

The absence of important documents, however, threatened to make the decision of the courts worthless to the heirs. It is now said that these papers have been found in Pittsburg, and that a meeting of the heirs will be held Friday in St. Louis, to take steps toward perfecting title.

It was believed that the papers were destroyed in the explosion of the steamer Dictator, in 1887, in which Capt. Floyd lost his life. On the strength of these papers the man who had taken possession of the estate was ousted, but after their disappearance the property again became clouded.

Among the McClintock heirs expected at the meeting Friday, besides the three from Chicago, are John Chambers, Mrs. Samuel Barr and Mrs. Margaret Chambers of Pittsburg, Mrs. Alma Thomas of Philadelphia and Mrs. Elizabeth Skewes of Salt Lake City, Utah.

BURGLARS MASK ENDS LOVE'S DREAM.

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caught Dr. Henry's wrists, pulling them behind his back. He put a wire about the right wrist. Evidently he was going to tie his victim's hands in order that he might drive away without being shot.

The doctor calculated that by a quick spring and a hard blow he might get the better of his captor.

He turned like a flash and struck the highwayman in the face. Then he grabbed both the man's hands, and as he did so the weapon slid from the robber's lap to the ground.

Dr. Henry stooped to pick up the pistol and the robber struck him a cutting blow across the face with the buggy whip.

The weapon had rolled under the buggy. While Dr. Henry groped for it the robber whipped up his horse and was gone like the wind.

The weapon glittered in the darkness and Dr. Henry picked it up. By this time the buggy was a third of a block away. The doctor fired five times, rapidly, but apparently without result, as the man in the buggy drove on furiously.

The highwayman said that he had hoped to get $40 or $50 to pay his way out of the city and start life anew somewhere else.

Relatives of Boyer's wife requested Dr. Henry to prosecute the man to the full extent of the law.

A warrant charging robbery in the first degree was issued against Boyers Monday morning.

ASSIGNMENTS OF MINISTERS.

Appointments of Bishop Tyree at Arkansas A. M. E. Conference.

WARREN, Ark., Nov. 18.—Bishop Evans Tyree, M. D., D. D., announced the following appointments at the close of the African M. E., South, Arkansas conference.

Pine Bluff district—J. W. Whiteside, presiding elder; St. John, Pine Bluff, P. W. Wade, D. D.; Allen Temple; Pine Bluff, L. D. McCollum; Kingsland, B. F. Banks; Ain, J. W. Johnson; Bartholomew, J. N. Fonville; Linwood, Henry Harris; Greely, J. J. King; Sulphur Springs, I. Manley; Star City, P. H. Green; Pine Bluff circuit, J. Williams; Anderson, H. H. Harris.

Arkansas City district—J. D. Dennis, presiding elder; Arkansas City, H. Scott; Dermott, G. K. Beamon; Baxter, J. G. Robinson; Dumas, E. M. Williams; Winchester, B. F. Turner; Palestine, J. D. Carmiacheal; Grady, J. W. Shumpert; Terry, William Ward; Tiller, S. L. Franklin; Varner, G. W. Grainer; Collins, William Adair; Lake Village, T. A. McDade.

Monticello district—James Jones, presiding elder; Monticello, J. M. Sutton; Warren, N. C. Carter; Wilmer, M. Culliver; Jonesville, R. L. Pipkins; Lacy, P. R. Washington; Montongo, H. A. King; Warren circuit, John Wesley; Bethel, H. O. Campbell; Mount Gilliard, D. T. Banks; Jersey, M. L. Tompkins; Wolf Creek, M. J. Jackson.

Hamburg district—J. E. Neal, presiding elder; Hamburg, B. J. Finney; camp ground, G. A. Henry; Petersburg, E. L. Crumwell; Snyder, R. W. Powell; St. Paul, A. R. Winston; Portland, G. W. Mitchell; Parkdale, T. J. Hill; Cypress, James H. Smith; Carronola, M. Scott; state evangelist, Cyrus Berry.

Transfers—S. S. Eason to Arkansas conference and stationed at Dardanelle; J. L. Vance, Arkansas conference and stationed at Walnut Grove; A. W. Johnson, to Arkansas and stationed at Liberty; A. A. Hudson, to the East Arkansas conference, which meets Wednesday at Redfield.

The next session will be held at Dumas.

FRUIT JAR TRUST SPLITS.

Every Manufacturer to Sell on His Own Terms.

MARION, Ind., Nov. 18.—The affairs of the fruit jar combine have closed, and from this time every firm will be independent. J. M. McCulloch, president of the Marion Fruit Jar and Bottle Co., said: "For the last two seasons the fruit jar manufacturers of this country have sold their entire product through one selling agency. The scheme is a practical one if it were possible to fix an equitable ratio of interest between the different firms, but this could not be done. Under the selling agency arrangement too many manufacturers in other lines of glassware had begun to enter the fruit jar field. This was already having an effect to disrupt the favorable market conditions."

From now on each manufacturer will sell his own product at whatever price he thinks best.

MRS. CLIPPARD DIES OF GRIEF.

Illness of Her Son Caused Her to Have Cerebral Apoplexy.

Mrs. Sarah Clippard of Laflin, Mo., died Sunday at the Mayfield Sanitarium, Taylor avenue and West Belle place, as the result of grief and worry.

"Died from cerebral apoplexy brought on by grief over the illness of her son" is the formal way in which the death certificate reveals this testimony of a mother's love. She had loved her children with an affection that made her regardless of her own condition. When her son grew ill her sole thought was for his recovery.

Finally she became ill herself, but insisted on watching by the sickbed. But her condition grew rapidly worse and it was deemed necessary to bring her to St. Louis for treatment. Medical skill could not save her life. Sunday death came.

Marriage Licenses.

J. W. Davis	1927½ Morgan st
Emma Hamilton	Cresco, Io
Ed. J. Schmitz	2805 Bernard st
Sarah L. Cowell	Herker, Ill
L. E. Yer[illegible]	2718 Sarah st
Alice R. [illegible]	2530 N. 21st st
Frank Jo[illegible]	1225 N. 11th st
Anna Der[illegible]	1304 N. 12th st
Richard K[illegible]man	East St. Louis, Ill
Minnie Hartung	East St. Louis, Ill

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85c for Satin Lumineaux, worth....$1.00
$1.00 for Peau de Soie, worth..$1.35
$1.00 for Crepe de Chine, worth $1.25
$1.00 for Armure, worth....$1.25
$1.00 for Louisine Brilliant, worth....$1.25
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$1.00 for Pure Dye Taffetas, worth....$1.25
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25% to 33% Less than Early Season's Prices.

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42 inches in length, tight-fitted back,
$19.50, $22.50 and $27.50.

TAILOR-MADE ULSTERS— Half and tight-fitting back, assorted materials, varied styles and lengths,
$18.50, $22.50 and $25.00.

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$35.00, $40.00 and $65.00.

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MERCERIZED SATEEN, with foundation accordion-plaited umbrella ruffle, edged with foot ruffle of the same material; strapped seams, and as well made as any $5 garment, black only,
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Wife Fined for Drunkenness.

To free her husband from punishment Mrs. Lena Johnson swore in the City Hall police court Monday morning that she, and not her husband, was intoxicated when Policemen Killoran and Noonan arrested them at the corner of Thirteenth street and Clark avenue.

"Fred wasn't drunk, your honor," the woman insisted, "it was me, and he was trying to get me home."

Judge Sidener took Lena at her word and fined her $3, discharging her husband.

DEATHS.

BARDENHEIER—On Sunday, Nov. 17, at 8:20 a. m., Josephine Bardenheier, beloved wife of Philipp Bardenheier, Sr., and mother of Mrs. Charles J. Kostuba and Matilda Heitkamp, after a long illness, aged 61 years 8 months.

Funeral from family residence, 4341 Virginia av., Tuesday, Nov. 19, at 1:30 p. m. Services at St. Anthony's Church, Meramec and Compton, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

DEUKER—On Saturday, Nov. 16, 1901, at 4:40 a. m., Annie L. Deuker, beloved sister of Ellen and Harry Deuker and Mrs. Alex. Hillenkoetter (nee Deuker), aged 21 years 8 months 7 days.

Funeral will take place from residence, 1945A Wright st., on Tuesday, Nov. 19, at 2 p. m. Friends invited to attend.

DECKELMANN—On Saturday, Nov. 16, at 11:20 p. m., after a brief illness, Margaret Deckelmann (nee Wunder), beloved wife of Mathias Deckelmann, and our dear mother, aged 7[illegible] years 8 months and 9 days.

Funeral Tuesday, Nov. 19, at 2 p. m., from the residence, 1929 Victor street. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Leavenworth (Kan.), Chicago (Ill.) and San Francisco (Cal.) papers please copy.

DOFSLOW—At family residence, 304 St. Louis avenue, East St. Louis, Ill., Robert Dofslow, aged 48 years.

Funeral Tuesday, Nov. 19, at 2 p. m., to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends of the family invited to attend.

MANDERVILLE—On Monday, Nov. 18, at 1 a. m., Charles Manderville, aged 24 years and [illegible] months, beloved son of William and Annie Manderville.

Funeral from family residence, 3100 Rutger street, Wednesday, Nov. 20, at 2 p. m., to St. Kevin's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul Cemetery.

SERVOSS—On Saturday, Nov. 16, 1901, at 10:30 p. m., Mrs. Anna A. Servoss, beloved mother of H. Lee, Tyne A. and Iva M. Servoss.

Funeral services will be held at the residence, 4375 Evans avenue, at 4 p. m., Monday, Nov. 18. Interment at Edwardsville, Ill., Tuesday, Nov. 19.

Fort Scott (Kan.) and Wa[illegible] (Ill.) papers please copy.

SCHWENKER—Entered into rest Sunday, Nov. 17, at 6 a. m., after a short illness, Catherine Schwenker, beloved wife of Hermann Schwenker, beloved mother of Elisabeth Holdsworth (nee Schwenker), Emma Kraeger (nee Schwenker) and Edward Schwenker, aged 67 years.

Funeral will take place Wednesday, Nov. 20, at 1 p. m., from the family residence, [illegible] New Manchester avenue, to New Pickers Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

REAM—On Sunday, Nov. 17, 1901, at 4:30 a. m., Charles L. Ream, father of Lida G. Durdy (nee Ream), aged 70 years and 21 days.

Funeral from residence of N. H. Durdy, [illegible] Pine street, Tuesday, Nov. 19, at 10 o'clock a. m.

SIVADIE—Miss Mary Sivadie, suddenly, Saturday, Nov. 16, at 8:30 p. m. Residence, [illegible] Arlington avenue.

Interment Tuesday, 19th, at 3:30 p. m. Friends invited.

RATHBUN HAS BEEN A ROVER

Several Pages in the Man's History Discovered.

EARLY YEARS IN MICHIGAN

SERVED IN A REGIMENT IN PORTO RICO.

Strong Effort Wil Be Made to Determine Legally the Cause of Tramp Goodman's Death.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Nov. 18.—The history of Newel C. Rathbun, who spent two days and nights in this city and Louisville in search of a victim to use in his attempted insurance fraud, is coming out.

From good authority it is learned that Rathbun is a native of New York State, but passed his boyhood in Michigan. His parents live at Petcsky, Mich., where they are well respected. His fa her, H. A. Rathbun, is a civil war veteran. Newel learned the printer's trade and worked on Detroit and Chicago papers.

He enlisted in the army when the Spanish war came and served with a regiment in Porto Rico.

Sheldon Hughes of Hot Springs, Ark., tells the police that he knows Rathbun well, went to school with him in Michigan. Hughes has a letter written to him by Rathbun on Oct. 28. The letter follows:

Letter Received From Rathbun.

North Vernon, Ind., Oct. 28.—Sheldon: No. I am not in Little Rock, but am on the road. I've been in Little Rock, also in several other cities, of which I might mention St. Louis, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Buffalo, Montreal, etc., in fact, I just came from the Pan-Am. Am now on my way South. Am going to Memphis, and will probably stay in Mobile this winter. I was in Little Rock when you were married, but didn't hear of it until a month later.

I have been having a fine time this fall, but now I must get to work again. Have been in 17 states since I saw you last. When I get located will let you know and will then expect a full account from you. Yours, N. C. RATHBUN.

Rathbun, since his transfer from Louisville to the Jeffersonville jail, was asked to repeat an assertion made by him that he intended to kill Goodman. He replied:

"Yes, it is true that I did intend to kill the man. You know what was to be done with the body. Honest, I was surprised when I went into Goodman's room and found him dead. I had not expected it so soon."

"When was it your intention to kill him?"

"In a couple of days. I was just 'getting him into condition.' I tell you I was as much surprised to find the man dead as you would be to enter a room and find a friend lifeless."

"What do you mean by getting him 'in condition?'"

Rathbun made no reply. He was thoughtful for at least a minute.

The supposition is that if laudanum was not used to cause death, Rathbun had administered a drug calculated to make Goodman very sick, but at the same time not arouse suspicion. After keeping him ill for a few days some fatal drug, chloroform, might be used, and the inference probably would be that Goodman, a friendless man, without money, having letters in his pocket from his wife, in one of which she begged him not to kill himself, had killed himself or succumbed to heart failure, superinduced by illness. Goodman was just the subject for a plan of this nature. He was emaciated.

Goodman Did Not Know the Name.

Goodman had been registered under an assumed name, with his full knowledge. He told Mike Fitch, his friend, so, and Fitch informed Chief of Detectives Sullivan and Detective Martin Donahue of that fact. Fitch, in speaking of the incident, said:

"Goodman, hilarious from drink, and over the fact that he had found such an 'easy mark,' as he spoke of the man, laughed when he said: 'De guy wrote down a name for me and I've forgot it. I must ask him my name.'"

The tramp knew his employment involved deception, and caring nothing about that, he would never have thought of disclosing his identity at the hotel had he been asked to explain anything. However, it is reasonably safe to assume that Goodman would have been in such a condition that for him to talk would have been an impossibility.

Rathbun has said that he did not use laudanum. Today he asked:

"Has that body been brought back from Little Rock? I hope it will be. I am anxious that a post-mortem will be held. No laudanum will be found in the man's stomach."

It has been decided that Dr. D. C. Peyton of Jeffersonville and Dr. Kastenbine will conduct the post-mortem. When the remains of Goodman reach Jeffersonville from Little Rock Dr. Peyton, in the presence of Prosecutor Mayfield and Coronor Coots, will remove the stomach and parts of other organs, place them in jars which he will seal and then send them to Dr. Kastenbine for analysis. Several days will be required to determine the contents of the man's stomach.

Coroner Coots was informed today that the inquest at Little Rock has been completed.

The result was a verdict that deceased and cause of death were unknown. The coroner then telegraphed Coroner Coots that he would hold the body subject to his orders.

HE STARTED FOR MANILA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 18.—James Bruce, said to be a notorious eastern crook, was arrested just as he was boarding the transport Meade, bound for Manila, and lodged in the city prison. He will be held pending the arrival of a requisition from Chicago, where, it is alleged, he is wanted for participation in a diamond robbery.

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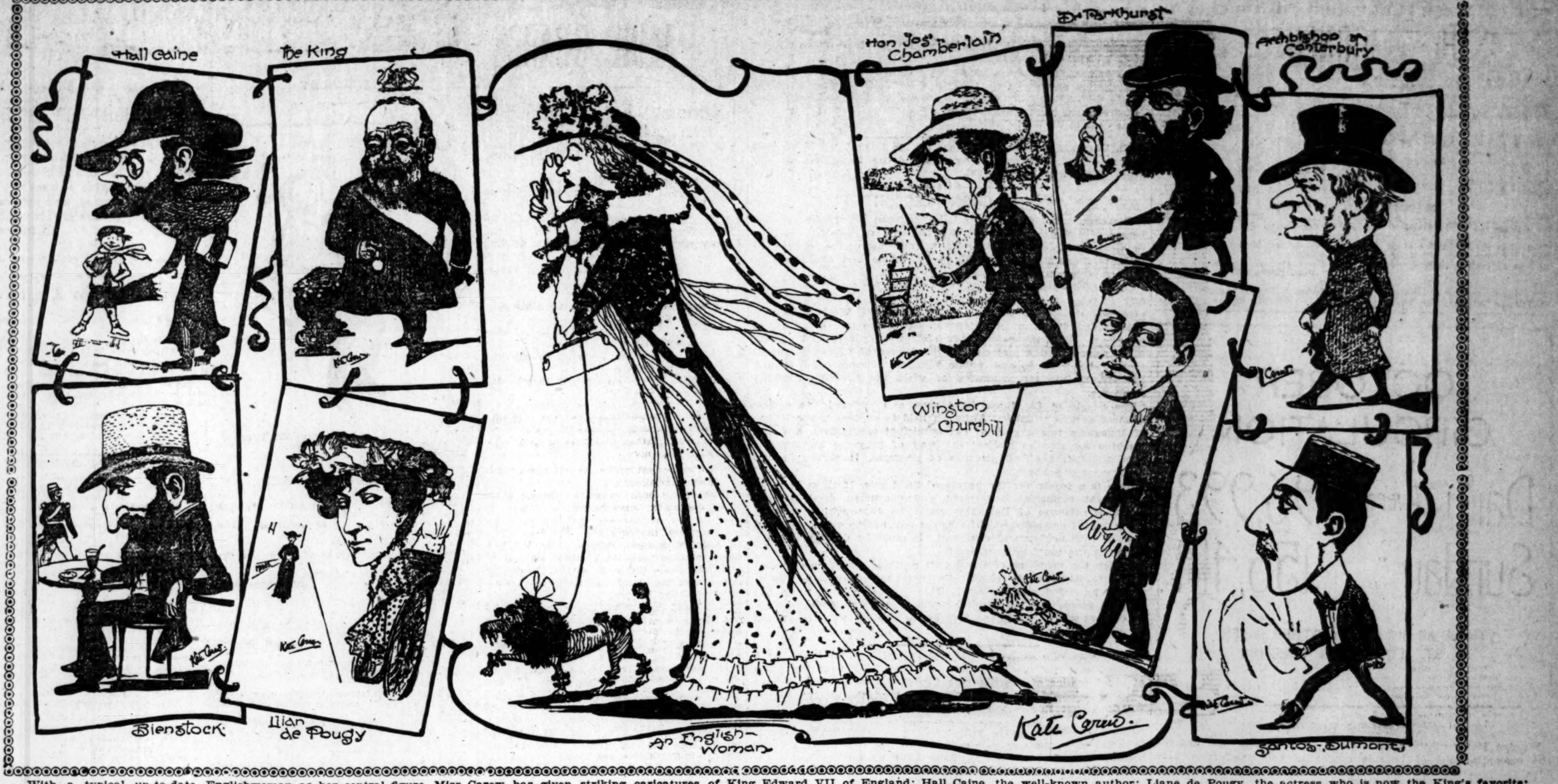
KATE CAREW RETURNS TO AMERICA WITH A LARGE STOCK OF FUNNY NEW WRINKLES



With a typical up-to-date Englishwoman as her central figure, Miss Carew has given striking caricatures of King Edward VII of England; Hall Caine, the well-known author; Liane de Pougy, the actress who is now the King's favorite; Vladimir Bienstock, the nihilist editor; Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, England's secretary for the colonies; Dr. Parkhurst, the reformer; the archbishop of Canterbury; Winston Spencer Churchill, writer and lecturer, and Santos-Dumont, who has solved the problem of how to fly.

Noted Caricaturist Doles Out Humorous Gems That Will Drive Dull Care Away.

BY ZONA GALE.

Miss Kate Carew, the noted caricaturist, who went abroad six months ago to seek new sources of amusement and enlightenment for Post-Dispatch readers, has returned to America.

Her mind is replete with fresh recollections of national and international celebrities who abide in London and on the continent, and Miss Zona Gale has drawn them forth and set them down in her own charming way.

The women readers of the Post-Dispatch, as well as the men, will read with great interest Miss Carew's description of the independent, if not eccentric, being that constitutes a London woman of fashion.

There is no denying that when a woman caricaturist goes to Europe a-caricaturing she sees more national ruffles and wrinkles and ripples than a man.

At least Miss Kate Carew did. She has been abroad six months caricaturing assorted men and women and others—diplomats and dancers and foreign powers and their pugs and poodles. And the story of her progress through England and the continent is one whose possibilities I guessed when I saw the monk in her picture of Liane de Pougy's adorable little left foot.

Miss Carew has benedictine-colored eyes and, instead of being tall and triumphant and very brunette, like her signature, she is little and blond. I never saw a less blond signature than her, nor a less silent one, and yet her hair is nearly yellow.

"He was lounging on a divan in a line of duchesses and things," she said earnestly when she told about Winston Churchill at Stafford House, and her naivete made me believe she had a device of being adorably shy.

Art Her Only Device.

But when I had asked about the looks of half the lights and shades of London and Paris I saw that she had no device excepting her art, and if she seems shy she is shy. I mention this because the line under her signature is so haughty and self-supporting that it is interesting to know she is not brave.

"Does Winston Churchill really believe he used to be an Angora cat?" I asked her, curiously. "Somebody said he thought he had been."

"You can't tell by looking at him," she said. "But at the charity fete at Stafford House he sat talking with Lady Helen Stuart, to whom everybody thought he was engaged, and he drooped on the divan quite like a tired kitten

"He has no carriage, no bearing, no manner. But he is an exhibition of how to be a success without all three, and everyone quite bows down to him.

"To be quite bowed down to in London is the epitaph of a long struggle in most cases, but not in his. The bows come to him naturally.

"And, speaking of cats," said Miss Carew, "I wonder if the kitten fad got here this season? It will.

"Why, every woman of fashion in London this summer appeared shopping or in the park with a kitten in her arms. Often a dog extra-illustrated the cat.

"The littler the cat the sweller the lady. Some of them were just little sample copies of kittens, but they were seen everywhere."

"What is a woman of fashion in London?" I asked her curiously.

It was exceedingly interesting to be able to ask this of a woman who caricatures, because you have to see many things caricatured before you know they are worth it. And the dress of English women—with all the respect it deserves—had always seemer to me not to need caricaturing, for more or less obvious reasons.

Miss Carew, fresh from a season in St. James' and Regent's summer afternoon's knew.

"In London," she said, "a woman of fashion is one who wears all she possibly can. Around her neck and up and down her hands are strings, the first of pearls, the second of chiffon, the third of ribbon, and the fourth of chalcedony, and so on.

"Many streamers and boas and sashes and floating things constitute a woman of fashion."

I had a mental poster, compounded of colored hunting pictures on calendars and dog-cart designs on insurance literature, of a type of English girl in a lineless tailor gown, with her hat over her eyes, a walking hat and walking boots and walking gloves and great hauteur. I asked after her.

Tailor-Made Girls? No!

"The English tailor-made girl," said Miss Carew, "is really an honorable minority these days; in fact, a memory. Everybody skims around in a cloud of floating, swirling chiffon, like a halo slipped down."

Then she told about a new fancy of the fog-compellers.

"London women don't wear gloves," she said. "No, even with sleeveless gowns you don't see gloves, and really never in the evening."

The thought of kittens and cats to the front and gloves and tailor-made gowns to the back row nearly completed the symptoms of an obvious conclusion, and when she mentioned in a moment that "duchesses and things" sit out in the park of a Sunday after lunch and call it swell, I voiced the overwhelming notion.

"English women," I said, "are more independent than American women!"

"Oh! of course," said Miss Carew, "American women are less conventional, but English women are more independent."

There is a blow for the Americano-Bohemian, alone-on-the-street, alone-at the-theater bachelor girl!

Let her who has no gloves for gaslight and owns a promenade cat cast the first denial.

I let the thought perish in the arms of an archbishop.

"And the Archbishop of Canterbury," I said: "has he claim to his internationally sung bow legs?"

"Yes," she said; "we saw him standing in the House of Lords, and his waist line is quite an inverse of the L'Aiglon dip, and his pontifical high skirts follow the load.

"Mr. Redmond said when we saw him: 'Ah! the archbishop's dressmaker is shy on the hanging of petticoats!'

"It is true that the bow legs of the kindly old man are most amusing."

From bent-shouldered archbishops to straight-laced Kings is not a far cry.

"The King?" I said.

"Long last the medals!" said Miss Carew. "I saw him at the Horse Guards, out in the sun, giving away medals like cigars, a smile with every sweep of his arm. The King is officially in seclusion, and giving away medals is his only official recreation."

Then we sailed a smooth passage to Paris and landed at the door of a great chapeau artiste on the Rue de Rivoli, and at the curb was the victoria of Mlle. Liane de Pougy, whom the King was said to admire, who crowded a London music hall on her first night, who had to be taken off the bill before the week was over, and who went back to Paris and put an emerald on her forefinger and never wears on her feet anything but jewelled slippers.

Lounged That All Might See.

"She lounged for five minutes on the white cushions in her victoria," said Miss Carew, "to be sure all the street saw before the jeweled slipper touched the step. A slipper and an emerald—they will chain all Paris to your victoria wheels if the emerald is large enough and the slipper is right. Mlle. Liane managed these—these and her long French eyes!"

Then she remembered Santos-Dumont.

"I saw the shed," she said, "where he keeps his flying machine. It is a great skeleton, a hundred feet high, and he sails out of it like a giant butterfly, straight across the Seine, and plumps down on an acre of the Rothschild estate.

"He is a great friends of the Rothschilds, and this is fortunate, because he ruins a battalion of old forest trees every time he alights. He himself is a little, little man, made of wire and steel and nerve, with eyes like electric sparks.

"So is Vladimir Bienstock—the Nihilist editor of a lot of Anarchist papers.

"I met him one day at the Cafe de la Paix, and spoke to him of the assassination of President McKinley the day before.

"His was a torrent of regret. They say his pulse and his breathing are watched by couriers of the Czar from moment to moment. So his regret was natural.

"Some mention of regrets it may have been that recalled Hall Caine and Miss Carew's clever cartoon of him, newly elected to the House of Pews or Keys or something.

"In London," said Miss Carew, "they point him out and say to Americans: 'There is your Hall Caine!'

"He is not popular in London. I saw him taking the Strand like an emperor, with fat eyes, and a fat book, and no retinue. London laughs at his self-importance and his popularity over here."

"London can afford to laugh," I began.

"At anything," said Miss Carew, "when it dares public cats! London will get to be funnier tha nany caricatures, if only the women of fashion have quite their own way."

PRIZE FOR BEST LOOKING COUPLE

ALTON MARRIAGE LICENSE CLERK INSTITUTES NOVEL PLAN.

TO FOUND A GRETNA GREEN

F. J. Bierbaum Will Gave a $50 Stove to the Handsomest Pair Applying for Certificate.

Deputy Marriage License Clerk Frank J. Bierbaum of Alton will try to stop the elopements of young couples from Alton to other places, and at the same time will encourage the elopements from other cities to Alton.

Mr. Bierbaum sells marriage licenses and he wants Alton young people to remain in Alton to purchase these papers. He also wants outsiders to make Alton their Gretna Green.

Commencing with this morning Mr. Bierbaum offers a fine range stove to the handsomest couple securing a marriage license from his office during the year.

Photographs of the couples will be secured, and Mr. Bierbaum will not leave the matter to his own judgment alone, but will have a competent committee examine these photographs and decide to whom belongs the prize.

Mr. Bierbaum says he thinks many young people who might otherwise go to St. Louis to get married will now remain in Alton. He intends making a genuine Gretna Green of Alton and also intends securing a neat little sum of money out of the enterprise.

The stove will cost $50, and Mr. Bierbaum's business will have to increase greatly for him to clear enough to buy the range and make a profit besides.

Mr. Bierbaum started a like contest some time ago, but dropped it because he had not taken the addresses of all of the couples. He says he thinks he is the only marriage license clerk in Illinois who is following a plan of this kind and that announcement of the project may bring him couples from many parts of the state.

Mr. Bierbaum is a young man, and holds a position of bookkeeper in the Alton Savings Bank. From the window next to the paying teller's window he deals out the little papers that legally sanction marriages.

Mr. Bierman has already gained a reputation with the brides and grooms elect by refusing to let the newspaper men have the ages of the people securing the licenses. He says this feature has been especially appreciated by many, especially by some of the ladies.

Persons who refuse to send their photographs will not be considered contestants.

In England an electric automobile has recently run 94¾ miles on one charge. It carried four persons and the average speed was 12 miles an hour. The vehicle weighed 39 hundredweight and the battery 22 hundredweight.

MOTHER AND SON TRIED SUICIDE

THEY LEFT BEHIND A REMARKABLE LETTER OF EXPLANATION.

THE WOMAN WAS SUCCESSFUL

Belonged to a Society Which Had Ceased to Exist, Therefore Tney Must End Existence.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 18.—Mrs. Sara Nordeman and her son, Knut Berger Nordeman, of Austin, Tex., took morphine together last night, intending to die. The woman was successful and the son is expected to expire. He is now partially insane and is strapped to a cot in a hospital, wildly declaring that he must die.

The mother and son had written a note addressed to the public, giving reasons for wanting to die.

They said they were about "to depart from this world and enter another one, hoping thereby to escape the dire alternative to carry on a struggle for existence in which only defeat is to be expected.

"Having neither the spirit nor the capacities which are required by every individual who is born in this barbarous, materialistic and inhuman world, of which America is the leader and representative, we have resolved to close our existence."

Then they proceed further, saying:

"We cannot live in this world because we are foreigners, strangers among the men of the present generation, having not their business spirit, their business capacities or their business interests.

"We cannot live in this world because we belong to a society which during the past century ceased to exist and therefore compels us to die also.

"We cannot live in this world because we find we are pressed on all sides and are finally convinced of our superfluous existence."

Mrs. Nordeman was 63 years old and the son is 24. They are natives of Sweden and came to this country five years ago. For some time the son attended the State University at Austin, Tex. They came to Minneapolis four weeks ago and lived with the family of D. B. Johnson.

Mrs. Nordeman's husband had been dead 18 years, but all that time she manifested a deep love and reverence for his memory. Mrs. Nordeman was the mother of seven children, but it is understood that all are dead but the one now at the city hospital.

Funeral of Henry Leyhe.

The funeral of Capt. Henry Leyhe, a veteran steamboatman, was held Monday afternoon at Warsaw, Ill.

Capt. Leyhe died Saturday night at the age of 96 years. Old age was chiefly responsible for his demise. He came to St. Louis in 1848 and lived here many years. During his later years he was engaged in the real estate business.

Capt. William Leyhe, Capt. Henry Leyhe, Mrs. John Bittle and Mrs. Louise Miller, all living in Warsaw, are the surviving children. The sons are connected with the Lee line system of steamboats.

CHICAGO HAS SOLD 400,000 TOP COATS

OVERCOAT MANUFACTURERS ARE SWAMPED WITH ORDERS.

NEW YORK BADLY ECLIPSED

The Demand Is Indicative of a Remarkable Degree of Prosperity in the West.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Four hundred thousand winter overcoats of high grade have been turned ou by the wholesale clothing houses of Chicago in the past two months, and every garment was sold before the cloth from which it was made had been received from the mills.

The present season's output has not only been unprecedented in the history of the city, but it puts Chicago far above New York as a clothing market and makes it the leading overcoat center of the world.

Over a million people outside of Chicago will be kept warm this winter with overcoats made here during the present season.

In the last two weeks two of the leading establishments have put out 55,000 garments and both are at a standstill because they find it impossible to get orders for cloth filled by the mills as fast as their customers demand the finished product.

A canvass of the wholesale district disclosed the fact that no more remarkable proof of the prosperity of the nation ever has appeared than is shown by the books of these clothing houses. All show the same conditions and every establishment is so swamped with orders that the mills are seriously taxed, though running to their full capacity night and day.

All the manufacturers, warned by the stories brought into headquarters by their traveling men, stocked up at the beginning of the season with from 30 to 40 per cent more overcoats than they ever carried in advance of orders before. So large was this excess in some cases that heads of establishments began to fear that the probable winter business had been overestimated, but six weeks after the orders began to arrive there was not a coat left in stock. Ever since then it has been a scramble to serve customers.

THREE MEDALS TO ILLINOIS.

They Were for Fruits Grown in the Southern District.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CARBONDALE, Ill., Nov. 18.—Two gold medals have just been awarded by the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo to Southern Illinois for fruit exhibits, one to the Southern Illinois Horticultural Society and the other to W. J. Stiles of Sandoval. E. G. Mentouhall of Kinmundie, received a silver medal. The competition included the world and the award to this section is a great credit to the fruit growing industry.

SHEEP BONE PUT IN MAN'S ARM

NOVEL OPERATION IN A PHILADELPHIA HOSPITAL.

DELICATE SURGERY REQUIRED.

Crushed Humerus Was Removed and Its Place Supplied by the Femur of a Sheep.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 18.—A remarkable surgical operation, which, if successful, may make a new epoch in the treatment of fractured bones, has just been performed by Dr. James A. Kelly of St. Mary's Hospital. The crushed humerus, or bone of the upper arm, was removed from a patient and its place supplied by the femur, or thigh bone, of a sheep.

James Loughlin, a laborer at Neafle & Levy's shipyard, was taken to the hospital late on Saturday night. A heavy weight suspended from a crane had fallen upon him, pinning him to the earth and shattering the bone of his left arm. Amputation was decided upon, but the man objected energetically.

Dr. Kelly conceived the idea of substituting a bone from a sheep's leg for the fractured bone in Loughlin's arm.

As it was necessary to make sure the animal was in perfect health, a live sheep was sent for from a Manayunk grazer.

Its femur was carefully dissected, but under the constant spray of a carbolic acid solution.

— Loughlin was then brought onto the operating table.

A long incision from shoulder to elbow was first made in the injured member, all particles of the crushed bone and marrow were washed out, and ligatures, to prevent hemorrhage, were applied below the arm pit. In adjusting the femur to the cavity it was found to be about a half inch too long.

Owing, however, to the necessity of preserving the round "ball-and-socket" ends of the bone to fit into the corresponding positions of the shoulder and elbow, no sawing-off of the sheep's limb was possible.

Dr. Kelley was compelled to strech the man's flesh a slight distance. Should the operation be a success Loughlin's left arm will, in consequence, be slightly longer than its mate.

The femur having been inserted and neatly fitted in, the slit was closed and sewed up, 52 stitches being needed to complete the operation.

WIRE CUTTERS IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Three hundred telephone connections on the South Side were severed by wire cutters last night and the long-distance service of several suburbs put out of business. The service was repaired today. Officials of the telephone company said they could not place the blame, but believed that in some way the work was due to the linemen's strike.

SAVED HER NAME BY NARROW MARGIN

SYMPATHY OF THE JUDGE ALLOWED HER DIVORCE.

MARRIED THREE TIMES

The Last Time Was Violation of Court Order and the Judge Sent for Her.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SANDUSKY, O., Nov. 18.—Mrs. Nannie Moos-Larned-Browning-Englert was declared by Judge Reed to be the legal wife of George Englert. The court decided to drop the threatened proceedings for contempt and to vacate his former order setting aside the decree of divorce from Roy A. Browning. Mrs. Englert, though but 20 years of age, has been three times married and twice divorced.

When she was 16 years old and a pupil in the high school she eloped with Jay Larned. They went to Detroit and were married. Miss Moos' father, a wealthy wine grower, was furious over the marriage, and was never reconciled. After the birth of a child the young couple became estranged and finally were divorced. Some time after this the woman went to Toledo to visit a sister of her former husband, and there met Roy A. Browning, son of a wealthy book publisher, and, after an acquaintance of a few days, the two were secretly married. Young Browning's father promptly cut off his son and threatened to disinherit him. The couple never lived together, and after six months Mrs. Browning applied for a divorce.

The case came on for hearing about two months ago, and Judge Reed finally allowed the decree. Two days later Mrs. Moos-Larned-Browning announced that she would in a few days marry George Englert, keeper of the Castalia Trout Club preserves. When Judge Reed learned of this he made an entry setting aside the decree, and intimated that if the woman was married he would cause her to be brought in for contempt of court. Two days after the setting aside of the decree she and Englert were married in Buffalo.

This afternoon the woman told the court that she did not receive a copy of his order vacating the decree until the day after her marriage to Englert. She declared that she did not ask for the divorce in order to marry Englert. In view of the conditions, Judge Reed decided to allow the decree to stand. He did this, he said, for the sake of the woman and her excellent family, in order to save them from disgrace, even though they had incurred notoriety.

England holds the record for the longest railway runs without a stop. This is Paddington to Exeter—194 miles. France comes next, with Paris to Calais—185½ miles. America's longest run is New York to Troy—148 miles.

TWO OFFICERS FOUND MURDERED

HAD GONE TO ARREST AN ILLICIT DISTILLER.

HIS CABIN FOUND BURNED

In the Smoldering Ruins the Burned Bodies of the Revenue Officials Were Discovered.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

OXFORD, Miss., Nov. 18.—At Delay, Miss., a village 12 miles east of this place, a terrible crime was committed last night.

United States Deputy Marshals John S. Montgomery and Hugh Montgomery, left Oxford Saturday about noon for the home of one William Mathis, wanted by the United States on the charge of counterfeiting.

Sunday morning the house of Mathis was found a smouldering pile of ashes and two charred corpses were found in the debris, and afterwards recognized as the two officers. There were evidences of murder, the skulls being crushed in.

A posse of 20 citizens and officers left here immediately for the scene of the murder and are scouring the country for the murderer, who if found, will doubtless be tried, sentenced and executed out of court.

Will Mathis has been before the Federal Court several times on the charge of illicit distilling, but has always been released on a promise of good behavier, but only to be again arrested on some similar charge. J. A. Montgomery has a wife and three grown daughters and one son, who reside here. Hugh Montgomery lives in Pontotoc.

GREETINGS FROM KING OSCAR.

Bishop Scheele Presented Them to Swedes in Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 18.—Bishop K. H. Ges von Scheele formally presented the personal greetings of King Oscar of Sweden to the members of the Swedish colony in Kansas City at an elaborate church entertainment given at the Swedish Lutheran Church in Penn street. Bishop von Scheele had just returned from Denver and Kansas, having attended the big church gathering of his countrymen at Lindsborg, Kan. Following a dinner at the Coates Hotel, Bishop von Scheele was escorted to the church, where several hundred Swedes, representing the different churches and societies of that nationality in Kansas City greeted him.

Dr. G. L. Abrahamson of Chicago read the official decree issued by King Oscar authorizing the bishop to extend the greetings of his majesty. Several talks in Swedish and English followed.

More than 400 guides have been insured free against accidents by the Swiss Alpine Club at an annual cost of over 12,000 francs.

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A COMMENDABLE REFORM.

Warden Healy of the Cook County (Ill.) Hospital has ordered the discontinuance of bedside clinics in that institution. He says the hospital was founded for the "care, cure and building up of the wounds of the indigent."

This is a humane view. The announcement that the "personal rights of the pauper" will be respected may be a shock to those who imagine that a pauper has no personal rights, but it sometimes needs a shock to bring us back to what is right and true.

A hospital physician approaches the bedside of a poor woman, young perhaps, followed by a troop of students. He asks a few quick, sharp questions, and after, for the sake of science, performs a beautiful operation under the gaze of the young men. The girl is shamed—but the modesty of a pauper must not assert itself against science.

Must it not? The personal rights of this poor girl are precisely those which are possessed by the millionaire's daughter. The difference is that one does not enjoy her rights, while the other does.

It is a commendable reform. Every humane person, especially every woman, should encourage it.

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It is very clear that the prize ring ought to be no part of the New St. Louis. There is no human progress in pugging.

FALSE FRONTS.

Prof. Charles Zueblin of Chicago University has been lecturing on "Culture."

The professor is filled with despair. "Most of our houses," says he, "have false fronts of brown stone, terra cotta or pressed brick, while the sides and rear are made of what one of my friends calls 'sewer brick.'"

The houses called homes are not so, but mere shells and shams, designed as shelters, but not for dwelling purposes.

There is a good deal of truth in this. But it is only a phase of a widespread general fault. How many men go about with false fronts whose success depends upon their cunningly keeping their worse side from sight.

The avenues of life may be very beautiful and well kept. But what of the alleys?

It is a question of physical, mental and moral health. If the alleys are full of garbage the bodily health of the citizens will surely suffer. If the hidden recesses of character harbor vicious or ugly propensities the man is likely to become a moral and mental invalid, no matter how clean his outward conduct may be.

Prof. Zueblin has called attention to a general truth. He attacks the question from the esthetic side, but it is just as important physically and morally.

Study to be what you wish to seem. That is the only safe rule.

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The brigands of Bulgaria should at least be required to lower their rates on missionaries.

THEY LIKE TO BE FOOLED.

The world's appetite for humbug seems never satisfied.

A story comes from Paris that when Adolph Lemonnier took his first book, "Femmes du Theatre," to the publisher it was accepted on condition that it bear an introduction by some favorite actress. The book was a great success, so much so that the censor took action. A trial ensued and Lemonnier paid a fine. The censor's objection went to the introduction. Of course this boomed the book still more and when the author turned out a second work he was told that the actress must "stand for it" as author, while he himself might sign the introduction, which must be "safe." The publisher was willing to take the profits, but seemed to be afraid of the censor. Mlle. Lablance obligingly consented, the book appeared as hers and was a huge success. The critics said sarcastically, that it was quite beyond Lemonnier's powers.

Here is a case in which the truth was known. The book sold, not on its merits or demerits, but because the people relished the subtle effrontery of the publisher and were delighted with the transparent humbug. A man who could so delicately conceive a harmless game ought to be rewarded. Author and publisher had their profits, mademoiselle had her joke and the readers their laugh. Nobody was hurt, so why shouldn't everybody be gay?

This is French humbug. In England and America it is coarser, blunter, more direct, but we all love it. The sorriest literary carpenter can sell his stuff if only he has the wit to get a few impossible stories told about himself, and like the old French kings, make his toilet in public.

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With the large premium on the stock of St. Louis trust companies, it is not remarkable that more such companies are being organized. The progress and increase of these companies in the city have been wonderful.

THE BIRD HAT CRAZE.

A page in yesterday's Sunday Post-Dispatch Magazine, giving the fall fashions in women's hats, suggests that the crusade in behalf of the birds will have to be carried on with more energy than has yet been put forth, if these feathered friends of the human race are not to be annihilated.

As if in mockery of the Audubon Societies and their sympathizers, the leaders of fashion have decreed that the feather, the plume, the wing and the entire dead bird shall be seen on every hat that pretends to be in style this fall.

"The show windows" in New York and elsewhere "look like veritable aviaries. Indeed, within the past week," says the Post-Dispatch fashion expert, "the proprietors of the New York stores have been told that their indiscriminate use of birds on hats comprehended many violations of the game laws, and that in future they must offer for sale only American parrots or those birds which have been purchased abroad."

As usual, this revival of the bird-hat craze had its rise in Paris. That city may have humane societies, but no one has ever heard that it prided itself upon its humane sentiments. How is it to be expected that the center of the world's gayety and wit has time or desire to consider the economic problem involved in the extermination of the feathered insect destroyers and scavengers. As long as plumes make pretty hats, Paris must have them.

But America need not slavishly copy Paris in clothing any more than it copies it in morals or industry. If American women really care whether the birds shall live or die they will have to show their condemnation of the wholesale slaughter of the feathered tribes by refusing to wear hats loaded with dead birds or their plumes.

Let the Audubon Societies go on with their work. Sentiment and opinion cannot be changed in a day. But unless we wish to see the birds go the way of the buffaloes, the protest against extermination must be continued.

Save the birds.

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Mr. Carnegie, before he puts out all his money, would do well to read what President Jesse says of the usefulness of the State University of Missouri.

THE CRONIN LESSON

The career and downfall of "Jim" Cronin as speaker of the House of Delegates, unimportant incidents of hoodlum politics in themselves, are yet important and instructive viewed in their relations to the walfare of St. Louis and the cause of good government.

Confronted by the necessity of preparing for the World's Fair and entering upon a new era of municipal improvement and progress, the people of St. Louis elected the Wells ticket on a platform of reform and progress. But there was a fly in the ointment. With the reform administrative officers and council there was elected a majority in the House of Delegates representing hoodlumism and public plunder. Cronin was elected speaker, as the representative of what the hoodlum combine stood for.

The people of St. Louis have seen and suffered the consequences of this situation. Although held in contempt, the House of Delegates was a part of the municipal mechanism, and the combine for months blocked the way of progress and threatened the defeat of all schemes of progress. It served as the instrument of jobbery.

Here is a lesson for the people of St. Louis. If there is to be permanent municipal betterment and continued good government, the House of Delegates must be thoroughly reformed and elevated or abolished. The House can not be overlooked and treated with neglect and contempt. It must be dealt with as a factor in the municipal problem.

As for the members of the House combine, Cronin's downfall ought to demonstrate clearly to them that public sentiment cannot be defied and outraged. There comes a time when the aroused people will not brook buffoonery and misconduct. Public officers who stand in the way of the popular will are ground to powder.

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The judge who declared that the life of a child killed on a railroad was worth only $1 has been rewarded with the office of chief justice of the Supreme Court of New Jersey. Should a vacancy occur on the Supreme Bench of the United States, will President Roosevelt go to New Jersey to fill it?

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Secretary Wilson is to send seeds wherever the flag floats, thus bringing our new subjects into competition with us and making necessary a high tariff to shut out the products for which we are to supply the seed.

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Over in Oklahoma the whites don't want the Indians to attend white schools and the Indians protest against negroes attending Indian schools. The supply of color line in Oklahoma seems to be ample.

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Oom Paul sitting as an Irish member of Parliament would be picturesque. Lord Kitchener, when he issued his proclamation, had no idea that it would ever transform a Dutchman to an Irishman.

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The automobile speed record is being remarkably increased. There will be astonishing auto figures in the World's Fair year of 1903.

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We must make the World's Fair something that will be worth mentioning in the Thanksgiving proclamations of 1903.

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With railway competition extinct, what will happen to shippers?

POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

The cost of Missouri war horses has helped to make the Boer war a nightmare to the English.

As the Bulgarian brigands eat freely of ham and bacon, might not Uncle Sam persuade them to take it out in groceries?

California judges attend prize fights, but where these contests occur at night they don't have to adjorun court in order to witness the thumping.

A joint debate between Father Sherman and James Logwood would be highly interesting. It would draw the largest attendance of the year.

Uncle Mark Hanna is trying to be cheerful; but with Ted Roosevelt President and Tom Johnson reigning in Cleveland, how can he be perfectly so?

Canon Gore, because he condemned the South African death camps, has missed a bishopric. Canon Gore should now come out squarely against cannon and gore.

The battered, torn and bleeding football eleven of Princeton nevertheless feel that the Yale fellows were well met. What are the glories of war to the glories of football?

A carload of glucose honey has been barred by Illinois food inspectors, although it was labeled "Pure Clover Honey." Mental suggestion doesn't have half a chance in Illinois.

There are indications throughout the country that the holiday trade of this year will surpass all records. Papa is supposed to be so prosperous that he will have no disposition to wince at the Christmas bills.

The new small planet which has been discovered to be so near as 150,000,000 miles to the sun is now to be seen through telescopes in the United States. Its inhabitants may possibly be calculating our own distance from the big luminary.

The ladies of France who have determined that every woman, young or old, married or single, shall be called madame, because every Frenchman is called monsieur, are not illogical. Woman is perceiving and reaching for all her rights in this new century.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

B. F. J.—There is no premium on tobacco tags.

J. L. S.—There is no premium on a 3 cent piece of 1866.

INQUIRER.—There is no premium on a 1 cent piece of 1817.

C. I. W.—There is no special regulation about calling Saturday evenings.

C. D. S.—For positions with World's Fair apply at the office, Laclede building.

T. K.—Inquire of music dealers. They will recommend good publisher for your song.

READER AND W. B.—A $5 gold piece of 1834, E Pluribus Unum on reverse, is worth $6.50.

MRS. GEO. BENTLEY.—Address Andrew Carnegie, 5 West Fifty-first street, New York.

H. W. R.—At the opening of the war Schley ranked Sampson. Schley was a commodore, Sampson a captain.

B. R. V.—You can get books for amateur theatricals at any book store. Look through the volumes at the public library.

A Truly Missouri Institution.

From the Marshall (Mo.) Democrat News.

We do not believe in the dog-in-the-manger attitude towards the St. Louis World's Fair assumed by some members of the state press. Something can be said for the position that this exposition will tend to divert trade towards the state's metropolis, and that therefore it is entitled to no free advertisement from local sheets. But that is a very one-sided view on which to found a policy towards it. The fair is as truly a Missouri institution as it is a St. Louis one. We believe it will do the whole of our grand old commonwealth incalculable good, and that Saline will have her part in the benefits. Therefore we are glad to give it the same gratuitous support that we would gladly accord any other project for the general advantage of the state of Missouri.

The Goebel Assassination.

From the Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

We must repeat that the action of Gov. Durbin in this matter is a high-handed proceeding, clearly contrary to the law of the nation, and for its moral effect dangerously approaching an appearance of high official condonement of assassination when men of the other party are the victims.

Carnegie's Advice.

From the Buffalo (Mo.) Record.

> President McKinley's last words to the American people were for reciprocity, and Andrew Carnegie (reformed) declares that protection duties ought to be lowered. Will Congress make an effort toward fairer trade?—Post-Dispatch.

No one knows more than Mr. Carnegie the injustice of a high tariff. He was for many years a beneficiary of such a tax and accumulated a fabulous fortune under it which he is getting rid of that he may not die in disgrace. As Congress followed Carnegie's advice in imposing the high tariff tax on the American people it should now heed his advice and relieve the people, in part at least, from the burdens of such a tax, especially since his advice in this instance is not prompted by self interest.

Ragtime.

I'm a syncopated sinner with a syncopated style.
I'm a syncopated evil with a syncopated smile.
I am wholly prone to evil; there is nothing holy in me,
Say the wise and good reformers; consequently they're agin me.

With my syncopated motion, with my syncopated walk,
Sad to say, I have aroused a lot of syncopated talk
Sin is all they seem to think of—sin and syncopated song.
I will move to Cin-cin-nati, if they'll sin-some one along.

What if I am syncopated? Why should these reformers shout?
Isn't syncopated evil less than evil long drawn out?
Let the critics all revile me; let them roast and harry me!
I'll be sinful just to spite them, since there's sin in syncope.

His "Paralyzed" Oath.

"Nine years ago tonight," said the red-faced stranger as he cleared his throat and joined the little group in the smoking compartment of the sleeper, "I took my last drink."

"So?" said the tall gentleman who slurred his Rs, and who was passing around a quart flask.

"Yes," said the red-faced man, "it was nine years ago this very night. I had been out with a crowd and had had a terrible time. Everything went. I was carrying an awful load of peaches when I started home. I fell down on the way and broke my right arm. I didn't have a cent. The last dollar of a fortune was gone and every hope was blasted. Ambition had left me. For ten years I had lived in an atmosphere of booze. Gentlemen, I was a social, moral and physical wreck. Yet, right there, that night, as I laid moaning in the gutter with a broken arm, I took an oath—a paralyze doath, as it were—that I would never touch another drop of whisky as long as I lived."

The southern gentleman coughed impatiently, and again the flask reached the speaker with the carmine front.

"What is this?" he asked. "Rye or bourbon? Well, I don't care if I do."

There is a man in Topeka, Kan., named Kaczynski, but he does nothing more remarkable than running a feed store.

Men have to sleep on mattresses,
In palaces and flats,
Because the women folks have all
The feathers on their hats.

Speaker Cronin declares that he went out of office to "devote some time to caring for his health." This is said to be the first time that Jim was ever out for his health.

CLEVER LITTLE STORIES.

A Scotch "meenister" took up golf, and, despite great practice, could not succeed in passing the tyro stage. His simple exclamations of "Tut, tut!" "Oh, dear, now!" "Well, well!" and the like were plain evidences of a perturbed spirit. One day, when the perspiration flowed freely from his brow and his honest countenance shone with radiance which was not due to calmness of soul but rather to the heat of the sun and his laborious efforts to move the obstinate gutta-percha from its station on the tee, he was tempted to indulge in strong language. "Dear, dear, but I'll have to gie it up. I'll have to gie it up!" he said at last, with a despairing look at the ball. "Give up the game?" exclaimed his friend, who had been a witness of his attempts. "Na, na, the meenistry," answered the other, with a sigh.

The Turkish Sultan's mistrust of every one is sometimes carried to a degree bordering on insanity. For example, when Kadri Pasha, whom he had disgraced and appointed vali of Adrianople, died his remains were to be interred at Constantinople. The coffin containing the body was on the way to the Turkish capital when the Sultan suddenly ordered that it should be sent back to the place whence it came, a suspicion having suddenly arisen in his mind that perhaps Kadri Pasha was not dead after all, but that he was attempting—lying in a coffin—to gain admission to the capital in order to conspire against his master.

H. Rider Haggard, in his new volume, "A Winter Pilgrimage," tells this anecdote: "When I was a 'soaring human boy' my father took me up the Rhine by boat with the hope and expectation that my mind would be improved by contemplating its lovely and historic banks. Wearying of this feast, very soon I slipped down to the cabin to enjoy one more congenial, that of 'Robinson Crusoe.' But some family traitor betrayed me and, protesting, even with tears, that I hated views, I was dragged to the deck again. 'I have paid six thalers,' shouted my justly indignant parent, as he to study the Rhine scenery, and whether you like it or not, young man, study it you hauled me up the steamer stairs, 'for you shall.'"

SCIENCE NOTES.

Most persons consume more food than is required for the two great purposes subserved by it. These are: First, the repair of such bodily substance as may demand renewal; and, secondly, the providing us with "energy," which is simply the power of doing work. A man in this sense really resembles a locomotive. He has to make good the wear and tear of his machinery and he has to supply coal and water, in the shape of certain food elements, in order to develop energy. The argument of the physiologist is that many persons consume food far in excess of their actual needs. Naturally this accounts for many cases of obesity. If a man of 45 or 50 will persist in taking as much nutriment as he did when he was 30 years old he will probably pay for his excess in laying on a good deal of fat. This is especially likely to happen if he limits his exercise.

The postoffice at Buenos Ayres has furnished a striking illustration of the value of Xrays in detective work. Jewelers had found that smuggling in registered letters from Europe was very safe, as the government officials could not legally open such letters on suspicion, and it was finally resolved to investigate the evil without violating the law. The Xray promptly revealed watches, chains, rings and other valuables in astonishing quantity. This evidence was sufficient for a court order to open the packages and more than $20,000 of property has been confiscated in a single week.

An exploring party recently made a number of important geographical discoveries in the Hawaiian islands. The source of Waipo river has been found to be several miles further up the mountain than was supposed and in a waterfall that has one sheer fall of 600 feet and in this exceptionally dry season runs 8,000,000 gallons a day. The party reached this waterfall only because of the low water, which permitted the explorers to ascend the bed of the stream. The forest growth was nearly impenetrable and the trail had to be cut through the tropical jungles. They were probably the first white men to see this magnificent waterfall.

NATURALLY.

Fat Model: You sent for me, Mr. Brusher. What kind of a pose do you want?
Brusher: Adipose, of course.

STORIES OF CHILDREN.

"How old are you, little girl?" asked a visitor of 3-year-old Minnie.

"I'm not old at all," was the reply. "I'm 'most new."

Teacher: To what class of birds does the hawk belong?
Small Pupil: Birds of prey.
Teacher: That's right. And where does the quail belong?
Small Pupil: On toast.

"I do hope I will grow to be nine feet tall," said little Tommy.

"Why do you wish to be so tall, dear?" asked his mother.

"So when I get in a crowd I can see what is going on," replied Tommy.

"What do you think of your new baby brother, Margie?" asked a visitor of a little 4-year-old miss.

"Not much," was the reply. "Before he came mamma said I was the apple of her eye; now I 'spose I'm nothin' but the core."

Johnny (aged 6): Papa, can I go to the circus this afternoon?
Papa: No, my son. A good boy would not want to go to a circus.
Johnny: Then, papa, don't you think I ought to go while I'm bad enough to enjoy it?

ON BEING IN LOVE.

The view which the ordinary young person takes of love is all wrong. She thinks that being in love brings happiness, and, therefore, she takes her lantern and goes a-hunting for it. Alas! To many, being in love brings pain—more than gladness, and only the wise ones know how to transform the pain into a joy of suffering for the loved one. To be in love is to know anxiety in the hour of his illness and apprehension over his weakness; to feel responsibility, which you must bear for yourself. No one can even share it with you to lighten your burden. To be in love is to have half your life go with him when the door closes, and to live only for his return. It is to have all your selfish desires lose shape and resolve themselves into ambitions for him. It is to find your happiness in his; for your ideals to take a more virile form; your hopes a loftier aspect. It is to forget yourself and your eager search for happiness, and to merge your whole existence into a prayer to do more, to give more, to be more, not for the approval of your little world, but closing the door on all in the great without, to pour self and all that you are and all that you hope to be into the small and sacred within—for his sake. That is to be in love. Are you?—Lilian Bell, in Harper's Bazar.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY.

We are all sculptors and painters, and our material is our own flesh and blood and bones. Any nobleness begins at once to refine a man's features, and any meanness or sensuality to imbrute them. THOREAU.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

There's many a sip 'twixt the cup and the lip.

Mothers-in-law are all right when they are visiting your wife's sisters.

A woman will back her instinct for anything in the world except matching colors.

Maybe it's only human nature, but we always begin our reforms with the other fellow.

A thing that puzzles a good many women is how a man's handwriting has changed when she gets a telegram from him.—New York Press

BIRDS OF GERMANY.

The birds of Germany, like the crows of Ireland, are the pets of the people, both in the city and the country. They are protected by law, but no law is needed for their protection. They are so tame that many of them build their nests inside of the houses and are never disturbed by old or young. Throw down a few crumbs and they will come down from the trees and almost eat out of your hand. The consequence is that fruit-growers never suffer from the invasion of worms, and the plum and damson, which have almost disappeared from our markets, grow here to the greatest perfection. The holidays are not distinguished, as they are with us, by a throng of boys and men with shotguns pouring into the country and slaying, out of mere wantonness, the feathery tribes, which are regarded here as the most efficient co-laborers to the agriculturist.—From "Europe," by C. C. Fulton, Editor of Baltimore American.

THE BODY POLITIC.

"I tell you, sir, I am against money in politics," said the pompous individual to a chance acquaintance.

"Well," rejoined the other, "I haven't been against any of it to date, but if there is a chance for a touch I'm not cowardly enough to back away from it."—Chicago News.

HOLD-UP.

Little Girl: I want my cent back. You haven't given me any gum!
Broken Slot Machine: Aw, g'wan. S'pose I haven't. Wot you goin' to do about it?

—CARNEGIE'S SUSPICIOUS GIFT.

"I was a member of a distinguished party of statesmen that made a trip into the South when the late President was in Congress," said J. B. Haynes, an Omaha newspaper man at the St. Nicholas the other night. "Mr. McKinley was making a series of his remarkable speeches. In the party was Andrew Carnegie, who occasionally made a speech also.

"One Sunday we happened to be in Thomasville, Ga. Mr. McKinley and nearly all of the party went to church in the morning. After supper one of the town reception committees suggested that we all attend a negro church that was presided over by a fervid and picturesque ebony preacher. Whenever a lull came in the services the deacons took up a collection, but through hospitable motives avoided passing the box to the white visitors.

"The old pastor arose at last and preached a sermon that was at the same time eloquent, earnest and ridiculous. The old chap preached right at the white folks, and his description of the poverty of the church was so impressive that when the deacons passed the contribution boxes around for the third time Mr. Carnegie intercepted one and dropped a $50 bill in the box.

"The boxes were placed on the pulpit and the old preacher counted their contents. When he had finished he placed a handful of small change on one side and a crisp greenback on the other. Clearing his throat, he said:

"'Breddern, we has been greatly blessed by dish yer conterbution. We has heah fo' dollahs an' fo'ty cents dat is good, an' if de fifty dollah bill put in by de white gemman wid de gray whiskers is also good we is blessed a whole lot moah,' and he looked suspiciously at the giver of libraries and campaign funds."

HE "TOUCHED THE BUTTON."

In St. Louis there is an amateur photographer who never took a picture. And yet he has traveled many miles with a camera.

A few days ago this young gentleman had occasion to go down into a part of the Arkansas wilderness to procure several photographs for an important purpose.

"Why don't you have the local photographer take the pictures for you?" he was asked.

"No," he replied, "I'll take them myself, so as to be sure and have good ones."

As it happened he never had taken a picture, but he procured a tripod camera and went to a photographer for instructions as to using it to make an exposure.

The photographer showed him the working of the instrument, how to focus, how to set the machine for snapshots, time exposures, etc., and how to pull the slide and press the bulb at the proper time.

"Dead easy," said the amateur photographer.

"Yes," replied the instructor, "but if you happen to forget one little point you may spoil your pictures, you know."

"Pshaw!" the enthusiast said. "It's easy to remember all this. See, you just—" and he showed the old photographer how to do it.

Then he traveled 200 miles and made his exposures. Six times he posed his different subjects before the camera, got the proper focus, saw that his work was good through the ground glass, and pressed the bulb.

"These pictures will be dandies," he remarked, upon his return to the photographer, who was to do his developing. "Every one of them will be a beauty. They looked fine through the ground glass."

The photographer took the plate holders into his dark room and emptied them. Every plate was perfect. Not a ray of light had touched one of them. There had been no exposure.

"Which little point did you forget?" the photographer inquired of the amateur.

"I forgot nothing," replied the latter. "I did it this way, just as you told me to do."

He showed the photographer.

"Ah, I see!" remarked the old photographer. "Next time you'll have better success if you pull your slides."

AMBITIONS AND VOCATIONS.

They were talking as they worked away under the string of electric lights hanging from the trolley wire. Up came the end of a rail.

"This is a harr'd job for a man that was intinded for whut Oi was."

"An sure, what was thot?"

"Whin moi mither sint me out in the wurrild, she intinded me for a bishop."

"A foine bishop you'd make. It's a wonder yere mither didn't ixpict St. Peter to come down and beg ye to take his job."

"Oi guess O'id make as good a wan as yu, annyway. Phat koind of a job do you be thinkin' you cud fill?"

"Oi guess Oi'd make about as good a polisman as anny wan. Oi has friends thot's been to Harry Hawes for me, too."

"You a polisman? I knows a job you fill better than thot, an' ye'd look foine, too."

"Phat's thot?"

"Bein' a corpse at a wake."

The foreman and three fellow laborers pulled them apart and the delayed owl car went on.

OUR LANGUAGE.

Jerry Hunt, who runs one or two railroads and yet gets time to see a little about town, met Dr. Hyatt, weather forecaster, at Sixth and Olive streets, yesterday.

"Hello, Doc," sang out Mr. Hunt.

"Hy, Jerry," was the weather man's response.

"How's tricks?"

"Oh, so-so. How's it with you?"

"O, comin' in carriages."

"That's good."

"Well, so-long."

"So-long."

And they separated, each in the thought that he had participated in an intelligent, English conversation.

And he had—as she's spoke these days.

DAVID WAS TOO SLOW.

A teacher in the Lucas Avenue Presbyterian Church Sunday school has a class in which are several small boys. One of these is the son of a Republican politician in this city. The boy is a passionate admirer of President Roosevelt and at home pesters his father with questions concerning his idol, and is never done talking about him.

Last Sunday the teacher took for his lesson the life of David, which he told so well that the class was generally interested, all except the small boy with the Republican father. His inattention to the discourse at last forced itself upon the teacher, who said, reprovingly: "Willie, you don't seem interested in the life of David."

"Naw," replied Willie, with a yawn of ennui, "let's talk about Teddy Roosevelt. There's the boy that's done things. David's too slow."

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

(This column is open to everybody who has a complaint to make, information to give or a subject of general interest to discuss. Letters from persons seeking employment cannot be given place in this column. All letters must be accompanied by address and signature.)

"Sport" Has Found a Home.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I wrote you a few days ago in regards to "Sport" on finding him a home. He had a great many callers yesterday. We had 11 callers to get him and we also had a letter asking when it would be convenient to get him. We gave him to a boy by the name of Johnny Dowling, 2116 Dickson street. He promised to be very kind to him. Many thanks for your trouble and kindness.

NELLIE DORAN,
3213 Arsenal street.

Street Repair Work.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The pending ordinance to contract all repair work on streets and thus deprive the city of doing its own repairing, should be defeated by all means. It is a step exactly in the wrong direction. Municipal control of public utilities is a rapidly growing sentiment among our people. It goes without saying that the city can do its own repair work cheaper and would do it better than contractors would. It is enough to deal with the latter in original construction. The city owns its plant and should continue to operate same. The street repair ordinance should be vetoed, and the repair plant of the city should be retained and used.

TAXPAYER.
St. Louis.

Sulphur and Diphtheria.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Edward Stern of Philadelphia contributes nothing new when he tells us of the success that attends the treatment of diphtheria with sulphur. It is a well-known fact to many of our older citizens that this treatment was recommended by Maj. John S. Mellon 40 years ago and that through the agency of the late Dr. Furgusson of St. Louis this remedy was practiced in England as far back as 1867. Dr. Furgusson got the idea from Maj. Mellon and Dr. Field of England practiced the use of sulphur in all cases of diphtheria and never lost a patient. Maj. Mellon has written and published several articles on the treatment of contagious diseases both of man and beast and several of these have been extensively circulated.

It is a well-known fact that the eminent French scientist, Dr. Pasteur, first got his ideas from the discoveries made by this worthy citizen of Missouri, and the entire practice of medicine has more or less been revolutionized by the introduction of the microbe theory, undoubtedly first discovered through the research and experiments of Maj. Mellon. For more than 50 years this old pioneer has stood where the more advanced disciples of Esculapius stand today, and while his theories are now generally accepted by advanced practitioners, he was ridiculed and laughed at when he first announced his great discovery.

Had Maj. Mellon lived in France or Germany or Russia he would have received honors and emoluments in return for his great work for humanity. As it is he is living in obscurity and has received nothing from the state for a work of far more importance to the human race than the work of Pasteur, Koch or Virchow. Truly, "republics are ungrateful."

St. Louis. THOMAS W. REED.

Love Is Best.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

"Puzzled," if you truly love her, don't give up. Tell her that you love her and ask her if she cares for you, for one can love but once. One may marry another who is liked and respected, but never have the love they had for the first one. If the one I love would return to me how happy I would be. True love is God's richest gift to man.

KATIE.
St. Louis.

Archbishop Corrigan on Socialism.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The beautiful composition of Archbishop Corrigan in your last Sunday's issue on "Socialism" is brimful of perplexing contradictions of the late beloved Bellamy and I trust we shall be enlightened farther by friends of the latter. Amongst other things the archbishop says, in substance, that if a man purchases land or any other property with his earnings it is, and should be, his very own to do as he pleases with. Now suppose "befoh de wah" he had purchased a slave or slaves, or suppose now he purchases property that had ever been stolen, how would the rule apply? If slavery was always wrong, would it be morally right to retain slaves, and could not the original owner of stolen property claim it both morally and legally at any time?

Suppose, further, that it can be proven that it was always wrong to class land, air and water the same as other property, would not the purchaser be running the same risk of this wrong being sometime righted, to his loss, as if he had purchased slaves or stolen property?

I trust some priest or layman will answer these questions and relieve the perplexity of "IRISH-IRISH."

St. Louis.

Piper and Hyslop.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The statements of Mrs. Piper and Prof. Hyslop are interesting, but after all, those who would really know of what these two speak must learn for themselves. Patience, time, money are required for this searching. I have had many a good laugh over explorations of the occult, and I expect to laugh many times more. The most amusing person in the world is the immovable skeptic. The agnostic is not so funny; he may be right.

St. Louis. AN OLD INVESTIGATOR.

Doesn't Think Sarah Is Grand.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

What nonsense is this of Sarah Grand's? The idea of a man who shuns liquors being unhappy because he does so! How does Sarah Grand know this? How can she know? She doesn't. The man who abstains not merely for his own sake, but that a brother may not be tempted, is grander than Sarah Grand, and there is any amount of happiness for him in this life, and the life to come. O, Sarah! O, Sallie! Say no more.

St. Louis. PAPA.

What Is What?

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Socrates had a demon; John Armstrong Chanler has an X-faculty and the little girl who was a "medium" had a phillagatoosen. Let us hear no more of disembodied spirits.

BOB.
St. Louis.

To "Tired Grocer" and "Mrs. W. B."

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Noticing Mrs. W. B.'s reply to "Tired Grocer's" appeal to be allowed the freedom of rest on the Lord's Day both for himself and his clerks, I can but add that if we had a few more like Mrs. W. B., who would have some compassion for the grocers and their clerks and who would help to agitate the question of Sunday closing, the outcome of this agitation would be the introduction and ultimately the passage of a law to compel the closing of all stores and shops on the Sabbath.

There is no logical or adequate reason why such a law should not be passed. Perhaps it might work a hardship on the few, who are negligent in household affairs, but in general it would serve the purpose of doing the greatest good to the greatest number, which means that the idea of government would be subserved. Such a law, if enforced, would remove much of the burden from the shoulders of the toiler. It would make the path of the merchant and the clerk easier; would increase the happiness of many homes by giving the merchant and clerk time in which to cultivate home ties and associations; would elevate mankind to nobler and higher levels, thereby contributing to the welfare of American citizenship.

There could be no harm in giving this subject thought, for in the evolution of things modern the time will come when it will be a reality, although it seems a trifle visionary at the present time.

L. A. W.
St. Louis.

The Post-Dispatch Always Protests Against Wrong.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Will some one please tell us why a public servant like the transit company can through long months practice a system of carelessness or indifference that results in the daily maiming or killing outright the men, women and children of our city and nobody speak?

Or perhaps now and then, if you will look carefully, you will find a faint little protest somewhere in some column.

But little attention is paid to these death-dealing instruments; but to minor matters whole pages are devoted.

St. Louis. CONSISTENCY.

POST DISPATCH SERIES

FAMOUS SHORT STORIES

THE ENCHANTED WHISTLE.

By Alexander Dumas.

THERE was once a rich and powerful king who had a daughter remarkable for her beauty. When this princess arrived at an age to be married he caused a proclamation to be made by sound of a trumpet and by placards on all the walls of his kingdom, to the effect that all those who had any pretension to her hand were to assemble in a widespread meadow.

Her would-be suitors being in this way gathered together, the Princess would throw into the air a golden apple, and whoever succeeded in catching it would then have to resolve three problems, after doing which he might marry the Princess, and, the King having no son, inherit the kingdom.

On the day appointed the meeting took place. The Princess threw the golden apple into the air, but not one of the first three who caught it was able to complete the easiest task set him, and neither of them attempted those which were to follow.

At last the golden apple, thrown by the Princess into the air for the fourth time, fell into the hands of a young shepherd, who was the handsomest, but, at the same time, the poorest of all the competitors.

The first problem given him to solve—certainly as difficult as a problem in mathematics—was this:

The King had caused 100 hares to be shut up in a stable; he who should succeed in leading them out to feed upon the meadow where the meeting was being held, the next morning, and conduct them all back to the stable the next evening, would have resolved the first problem.

When this proposition was made to the young shepherd he asked to be allowed a day to reflect upon it; the next day he would say "yes" or "no" to it.

The request appeared so just to the King that it was granted to him.

He immediately took his way to the forest to meditate there on the means of accomplishing the task set him.

With down-bent head he slowly traversed a narrow path running beside a brook, when he came upon a little old woman with snow-white hair, but sparkling eyes, who inquired the cause of his sadness.

The young shepherd replied, shaking his head:

"Alas! nobody can be of any assistance to me, and yet I greatly desire to wed the King's daughter."

"Don't give way to despair so quickly," replied the little old woman; "tell me all about your trouble, and perhaps I may be able to get you out of your difficulty."

The young shepherd's heart was so heavy that he needed no entreaty to tell her his story.

"Is that all?" said the little old woman; "in that case you have not much to despair about."

And she took from her pocket an ivory whistle and gave it to him.

This whistle was just like other whistles in appearance; so the shepherd, thinking that it needed to be blown in a particular way, turned to ask the little old woman how this was, but she had disappeared.

Full of confidence, however, in what he regarded as a good genius, he went next day to the palace and said to the King:

"I accept, sir, and have come in search of the hares to lead them to the meadow."

On hearing this the King rose and said to his minister of the interior:

"Have all the hares turned out of the stable."

The young man placed himself on the threshold of the door to count them; but the first was already far away when the last was set at liberty; so much so that when he reached the meadow he had not a single hare with him.

He sat himself down pensively, not daring to believe in the virtue of his whistle. However, he had no other resource, and placing the whistle to his lips he blew into it with all his might.

The whistle gave forth a sharp and prolonged sound.

Immediately, to his great astonishment, from right and left, from before him and behind him—from all sides, in fact—leapt the hundred hares, and set to quietly browsing on the meadow around him.

News was brought to the King how the young shepherd had probably resolved the problem of the hares.

The King conferred on the matter with his daughter.

Both were greatly vexed, for if the young shepherd succeeded with the two other problems as well as he had with the first, the Princess would become the wife of a simple peasant, than which nothing could be more humiliating to royal pride.

"You think over the matter," said the Princess to her father, "and I will do the same."

The Princess retired to her chamber and disguised herself in such a way as to render herself unrecognizable; then she had a horse brought for her, mounted it and went to the young shepherd.

The hundred hares were frisking joyously about him.

"Will you sell me one of your hares?" asked the young Princess.

"I would not sell you one of my hares for all the gold in the world," replied the shepherd; "but you may gain one."

"At what price?" asked the Princess.

"By dismounting from your horse and sitting by me on the grass for a quarter of an hour."

The Princess made some objections, but as there was no other means of obtaining the hare, she descended to the ground and seated herself by the young shepherd.

The hundred hares leaped and bounded around him.

At the end of a quarter of an hour, during which the young shepherd said a hundred tender things to her, she rose and claimed her hare, which the shepherd, faithful to his promise, gave her.

The Princess joyfully shut it in a basket which she carried at the bow of her saddle, and rode back towards the palace.

But hardly had she ridden a quarter of a league when the young shepherd placed his whistle to his lips and blew into it; and, at this imperative call, the hare forced up the lid of the basket, sprang to the ground, and made off as fast as his legs would carry him.

A moment afterwards the shepherd saw a peasant coming towards him, mounted on a donkey. It was the old King, also disguised, who had quitted the palace with the same intention as his daughter.

A large bag hung from the donkey's saddle.

"Will you sell me one of your hares?" he asked of the young shepherd.

"My hares are not for sale," replied the Shepherd. "But they may be gained."

"What must one do to gain one?"

The shepherd considered for a moment.

"You must kiss three times the tail of your donkey," he said.

This strange condition was greatly repugnant to the old King, who tried his hardest to escape it, going so far as to offer fifty thousand francs for a single hare, but the young shepherd would not budge from the terms he had named. At last the King, who held absolutely to getting possession of one of the hares, submitted to the conditions, humiliating as they were for a King. Three times he kissed the tail of his donkey, who was greatly surprised at a King doing him so much honor; and the shepherd, faithful to his promise, gave him the hare demanded with so much insistence.

The King tucked his hare into his bag and rode away at the utmost speed of his donkey.

But he hardly gone a quarter of a league when a shrill whistle sounded in the air, on hearing which the hare nibbled at the bag so vigorously as speedily to make a hole, out of which it lept to the ground and fled.

"Well?" inquired the Princess on seeing the King return to the palace.

"I hardly know what to tell you, my daughter," replied the King. "This young shepherd is an obstinate fellow who refused to sell me one of his hares at any price. But don't distress yourself; he'll not get so easily through the two other tasks as he has done with this one."

It need hardly be said that the King made no allusion to the condition under which he had for a moment had possession of one of his hares, nor that the Princess said nothing about the terms of her similar unsuccess.

"That is exactly my case," she remarked. "I could not induce him to part with one of his hares, neither for gold nor silver."

When evening came, the shepherd returned with his hares; he counted them before the King: there was not one more or one less. They were given back to the minister of the interior, who had them driven into the stable.

Then the King said:

"The first problem has been solved; the second now remains to be accomplished. Pay great attention, young man."

The shepherd listened with all his ears.

"Up yonder, in my granary," the King went on, "there are one hundred measures of gray peas and one hundred measures of lentils; lentils and peas are mixed together; if you succeed tonight, and without light, in separating them, you will have solved the second problem."

"I'll do my best," replied the young shepherd.

And the King called his minister of the interior, who conducted the young man up to the granary, locked him in and handed the key to the King.

As it was already night, and as for such a labor there was no time to be lost, the shepherd put his whistle to his lips and blew a long, shrill note.

Instantly 5000 ants appeared and set to work separating the lentils from the peas, and never stopped until the whole were divided into two heaps.

The next morning the King, to his great astonishment, beheld the work accomplished. He tried to raise objections, but was unable to find any ground whatever.

All he could now do was to trust to the third trial, which, after the shepherd's success in the other two trials, he found to be not very hopeful. However, as the third was the most difficult of all, he did not give way to despair.

"What now remains for you to do," he said, "is to go into the bread room and, in a single night, eat the whole week's bread, which is stored there. If tomorrow morning not a single crumb is to be found there, I will consent to your marrying my daughter."

That same evening the young shepherd was conducted to the breadroom of the palace, which was so full of bread that only a very small space near the door remained unoccupied.

But, at midnight, when all was quiet in the palace, the shepherd sounded his whistle. In a moment 10,000 mice fell to gnawing at the bread in such a fashion that the next morning not a single crumb remained in the place.

The young man then hammered at the door with all his might, and called out:

"Make haste and open the door, please, for I'm hungry!"

The third task was thus victoriously accomplished, as the others had been.

Nevertheless, the King tried hard to get out of his engagement.

He had a sack, big enough to hold six measures of wheat brought and, having called a good number of his courtiers about him, said: "Tell us as many falsehoods as will fill this sack, and when it is full you shall have my daughter."

Then the shepherd repeated all the falsehoods he could think of; but the day was half spent, and he was at the end of his fibs, and still the sack was far from being full.

"Well," he went on, "while I was guarding my hares the Princess came to me disguised as a peasant, and, to get one of my hares, permitted me to kiss her."

The Princess, who, not in the least suspecting what he was going to say, had not been able to close his mouth, became red as a cherry; so much so that the King began to think that the young shepherd's tarradiddle might possibly be true.

"The sack is not yet full, though you have just dropped a very big falsehood into it," cried the King. "Go on."

The shepherd bowed and continued: "A moment after the Princess was gone, I saw His Majesty, disguised as a peasant and mounted on a donkey. His Majesty also came to buy one of my hares; seeing, then, what an eager desire he had to obtain a hare from me, what do you imagine I compelled him to do?"

"Enough! enough!" cried the King; "the sack is full."

A week later the young shepherd married the Princess.

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FATALLY INJURED BY FALL.

Unidentified Man Found Unconscious by East St. Louis Police.

The East St. Louis police have been unable to ascertain the identity of the unknown man who was found unconscious on St. Louis avenue near Collinsville avenue Sunday afternoon.

From the position of the body it was judged that the man had fallen from the high sidewalk at that point. His neck was dislocated and he had suffered a fractured skull. The physicians at St. Mary's Hospital expect he will die.

The man is about 43 years old, well dressed, in a tailor-made brown suit. His hair is dark and mustache gray.

SIDE BY SIDE IN DEATH.

Aged Husband Dies While Arranging for His Wife's Funeral.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Side by side in death lie Ferdinand Haebe and his wife, Lolima, in the parlor of their home at 335 South Third street, Williamsburg. Haebe was 74 years old and his wife one year younger. It was the old couple's wish that they might die together. Mrs. Haebe died suddenly this afternoon and 20 minutes later the husband dropped dead in the street while on his way to an undertaker's establishment to arrange for his wife's funeral. When Haebe learned of his wife's sudden demise his grief was deep. He kissed her cold lips and said: "I will be with you soon, Lolima dear."

After a time he started for the undertakers. He had walked only two blocks when he suddenly stopped and, placing his hand over his heart, fell to the sidewalk. He was dead when the ambulance arrived.

$1100 IN JEWELRY STOLEN IN WEST END

MRS. MARY CRANDALL LOSES VALUABLE HEIRLOOMS.

HOUSE LOOTED DURING ABSENCE

Robbery Occurred in Daytime, the Thieves Apparently Being Acquainted With Neighborhood.

THE JEWELRY STOLEN.

Diamond crescent breastpin	$200
Diamond engagement ring	200
Diamond opal ring	150
Four other diamond rings, each	125
Diamond earring	100
Turquoise and diamond ring	75
Gold watch	100
Jeweled trinkets	150

While Mrs. Mary Crandall of 4200 Westminster place was shopping Friday afternoon, during which time her servant took advantage of her absence to make some calls on her own account, a burglar found a fair field to enter the house and ransack it of its valuables.

When Mrs. Crandall arrived home at 5 o'clock she discovered that all the jewelry she possessed, except that which she wore, had been stolen. Many articles of the stolen jewelry were greatly prized heirlooms, the commercial value of which aggregates about $1100.

The burglary was accomplished in a neat and professional manner. Entrance was gained to the house by a back door, which evidently had been opened by a skeleton key.

That the thieves were acquainted with the premises and neighborhood was evident by the manner in which they went about their work. It is believed that they saw Mrs. Crandall depart, and when the servant went also they entered and left the house without attracting the attention of the neighbors or persons passing along the street.

The silver, furs and other valuables were discarded for the more portable jewelry. The thieves apparently went directly to Mrs. Crandall's room, where they found her jewel box and after emptying it left the house.

FOUR WIVES PLAYED BABIES

When Husbands Learned of the Show the Curtain Was Rung Down for All Time.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Four young and pretty married women of St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Englewood attired themselves in infants' clothing and personated the Ormsby quadruplets in the church fair until their husbands found it out and broke up the show. The impersonation was to be the star attraction and was presented with scenic environment.

THE CAST.

The Quads—
Mmes. Cunningham, McLaughlin, Rodway, Wyte.
The Mother (Mrs. Ormsby) ....Mrs. Forniari
The Nurse ....Mrs. Anderson

The scene represents the interior of a bedroom with the "quads" in bed, the anxious nurse administering soothing syrup from time to time and the mother fluttering about receiving the congratulations of the neighbors, who paid 10 cents for admission to the balcony.

"How well the mother is doing!" remarked one of the neighbors.

"Well, you see, the babies are 30 years old," said the nurse in a stage whisper.

"The wretch!" came in four audible protests from the bed.

The women's hair was concealed by infants' caps. Bottles of milk and infants' foods were scattered over the tables.

The production was a complete surprise to the husbands. They held an indignation meeting and sent word to the "quads" to get out of bed and become "grown-ups" again. They obeyed, and the church lost the best money-making scheme in the fair.

HOMES PUT ON TRUST BASIS

Illinois Co-Operative Dining Room Proves a Great Success and the Idea Becomes Popular.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Forty thousand meals for $5000 is not so bad. Perhaps it is a record, and if so the credit belongs to a number of original women of Longwood, who have succeeded in establishing a co-operative home.

Mrs. Thomas Chambers of Longwood first thought of the plan over a year ago, and one of the results was the purchase of a club house, where families who were on the society's roster congregated at meal time and when they pleased and enjoyed themselves.

This saved the drudgery of cooking in the several residences, and the plan proved so satisfactory that it was broadened, and a co-operative garden established, with a saving on vegetables for a year of about $300. The clubhouse is for both sexes, and members of families generally go to the place "en masse," sit at a table by themselves, use their own silverware and enjoy the same delights as if in their own house.

The news of the success of the Longwood "home" has spread, and it is probable similar institutions will spring up in Washington Heights, Blue Island and Harvey. In Longwood there is talk of establishing a co-operative laundry. Mrs. Chambers and others who have watched the experiment with interest declare that this idea is to grow, and that within ten years it will have hundreds of devotees in large and small cities. The saving in time, worry and cash is considered sufficient to encourage the scheme.

AUTHORESS NOT YET MARRIED.

Miss Wilkins Now Says She Will Be Wedded Within a Month.

RANDOLPH, Mass., Nov. 18.—Reports of the marriage of Miss Mary E. Wilkins, the authoress, to Dr. Charles M. Foreman, now prove to be unfounded. Miss Wilkins, however, says she expects to be wedded within a month.

Miss Wilkins is at her home here, and intends to remain until her marriage. Dr. Freeman is expected here as Miss Wilkins' guest on Thanksgiving day, and he will probably remain in town a week or so. Miss Wilkins said some time ago that she would not get married until she had finished a novel then in hand, but the work was completed two months ago.

"Biggest and Best."

The American Newspaper Directory, Geo. P. Rowell & Co., New York, issued a list of papers, one from each state, selected by them, upon investigation, as the largest circulated paper in the state. The St. Louis Post-Dispatch, as everybody knows, has the post of honor for the State of Missouri in this list. George P. Rowell & Co. might have truthfully added, the largest in any state between the Mississippi river and Pacific ocean.

Highwayman Arrested.—John Barry, charged with stopping Edward Callahan of 2524A Hebert street, at Jefferson avenue and Hebert street, Saturday night, and robbing him of $20, was arrested Sunday night by Sergt. Monrotus and Patrolman Beahan.

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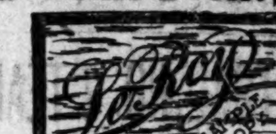

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No Message Has Been Received Regarding Amount of Ransom to Be Demanded.

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SOFIA, Bulgaria, Nov. 18.—The secret Macedonian committee met in Sofia last night and talked over the situation.

It was determined that before proceeding further with the negotiations for the release of Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American diplomatic agent, Mr. Dickinson, should secure amnesty for the brigands implicated in the abduction of the missionary.

No formal reply has yet been received from the Bulgarian government to Mr Dickinson's official protest against the Bulgarian troops hampering his communication with Miss Stone's captors.

No further message has been received from the brigands regarding the amount they will accept for ransom.

There is a through buffet sleeping car to Mexico City every day via the M. K. & T. Railway.

HURLED FROM HER HORSE.

Mishap to American Woman Riding With Sultan of Johore.

PARIS, Nov. 18.—The Sultan of Johore was riding on the Bois de Boulogne with a handsome American woman, who requests that her name be withheld, when the lady's horse ran away. The Sultan, who rides as securely as a cowboy, tried to head off the frightened animal, but his own stumbled and fell.

Being unhurt, the Sultan jumped to his feet, but only in time to see his companion's mount crash against a heavy iron gate, braining itself. The woman was leaning far back and the circumstance saved her life, though she was hurled to the ground violently. Two hundred people saw the accident. The Sultan replaced the dead horse the same day and gave the woman besides a handsome souvenir of her narrow escape.

The French newspapers having discovered the Sultan's companion as a dashing American widow, the colony is eager to know who she is.

SHOT IN A DICE GAME.

Ambrose Algy Dangerously Wounded in Dispute in West End.

Ambrose Algy, a negro porter, was shot and dangerously injured Sunday night during a dispute over a dice game in the rear of Charles C. Spink's residence, 4211 West Belle place.

Ferdinand Williams, Mr. Spinker's coachman, made a statement at the Tenth district police station, declaring that he shot Algy in self-defense.

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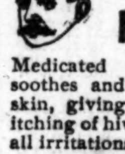

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BEST SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

NO PRIZE FIGHT IN ST. LOUIS TONIGHT

—CHIEF KIELY.

President Haughton Announces the West End Club Closes Its Doors Tonight.

"DESPITE THE ANNOUNCEMENT IN THE MORNING PAPERS THAT THERE WILL BE A FIGHT BETWEEN GEORGE DIXON AND ABE ATTELL MONDAY NIGHT AT THE WEST END CLUB, THERE WILL BE NO SUCH CONTEST."

This is the ultimatum of Chief of Police Kiely, issued Monday morning. This is in line with the statement of Chief Kiely issued Saturday and published exclusively in the Post-Dispatch.

"I have no power to prevent Mr. Haughton's printing statements that a fight will occur," said Chief Kiely, "but I have the power to prevent any prize-fighting in St. Louis, and the public may rest assured that there will be no fight at the West End Club tonight.

"Notice was duly served on Mr. Haughton last Saturday that he would not be allowed to bring off such a fight, or any kind of a fight. He certainly could not have misunderstood the notice. But no matter whether he did or not. If the notice in itself be not sufficient there are other ways of stopping the fight.

"If he persists, after my notice, he and others having connection with the fight, may be arrested and taken into the courts and made defendants. There is a law in St. Louis prohibiting prize fights and it will be strictly enforced.

"There was a fight announced for the Olympic Club last Saturday night, and it was not fought."

President Charles Haughton announced this morning that, in view of the ruling of police authorities against boxing, the Attell-Dixon fight, scheduled to take place tonight at the West End Club, had been declared off.

MONSOON WINS AT PASTIME

Captures All-Age Stake From a Fair Field—Crowd Smaller Than Usual.

Monsoon, winner of the Waterloo cup, again distinguished himself at Pastime Park on Sunday by winning the all-age stake from a fair field.

The attendance was not as large as usual, although the weather was perfect for coursing. The fact that betting has been eliminated from the proceedings may have helped to narrow the crowd.

Modest Girl gave Monsoon a hot argument, and she was backed privately to beat him, but the Waterloo champion was in great form and won handily.

Laughing Water, the property of B. F. Jackson, won the puppy stake in easy fashion.

In a match course B. F. Jackson's Pity Me beat E. J. Nally's White Stockings and M. Daly's Smart Guy beat T. C. Jenkins' Hindoo.

Summaries:

All-Aged Stake.

FIRST ROUND.

B. F. Jackson's ns. wh. and blk. d. Reckless Archer (Emin Pasha—Bona) beat C. N. Betz's blk. b. Trilby (Cashier—Diana le Diable).

J. J. Curran's br. and wh. b. Modest Girl (Crawford Lad—Iowa Girl) beat T. O'Keefe's wh. and br. b. St. Louis Maid (Hickory Jim—Barmaid).

B. F. Jackson's ns. f. d. imp. Barton Tag (Norway—Myrtle Green) beat J. J. Curran's wh. blk. b. Old Virginia (Van Nye—The Lone Widow).

H. G. Becker's wh. and blk. Diana le Diable (Caliph—Little Fairy) beat C. N. Betz's blk. b. p. Doris (Cashier—Diana le Diable).

L. F. Bartel's wh. and br. b. Busy Beryl (Boomerang—Baroness Grace) beat J. J. Curran's wh. and blk. d. Old Kentucky (Van Nye—Lone Widow.)

H. G. Becker's blk. and wh. d. Monsoon (Caliph—Little Fairy) beat M. Daly's blk. d. Star of Erin (Black Joe—Queen of St. Louis).

FIRST TIES.

Modest Girl beat Reckless Archer.
Diana le Diable beat Barton Tag.
Monsoon beat Busy Beryl.

SEMIFINAL.

Modest Girl beat Diana le Diable.
Monsoon, a bye.

FINAL.

H. G. Becker's blk. and wh. d. Moonsoon (Caliph—Little Fairy) beat J. J. Curran's br. and wh. b. Modest Girl (Crawford Lad—Iowa Girl), and won the stake.

Puppy Stake.

FIRST ROUND.

B. F. Jackson's wh. b. Laughing Water (St. Clair—Maid of Honor), beat P. Conrad's blk. d. Conrad's Best (formerly Ravenstein), (Jimmie Cane—Bell Bird).

J. Cain's wh. and f. b. Lady Compton (Debs—Modesty), beat L. F. Bartel's blk. d. Bogus Butter (Boomerang—Bonanza).

FINAL.

B. F. Jackson's n. s. wh. b. Laughing Water (St. Clair—Maid of Honor), beat J. Cain's wh. and f. b. Lady Compton (Debs—Modesty), and won the stake.

WEST END DEFEATS SPAULDING.

Win Game at Alton by Score of Six to Nothing.

The West End eleven and the Spauldings met at Alton, Ill., Saturday and the former team won by a score of 6 to 0.

Judd made the touchdown and Macklind goal. No score was made in the first half. The work of the West End halves and back was particularly effective.

The line-up and summary of the game follows:

West Ends.	Positions.	Spauldings.
Moloney	Right end	Geer
Maddock	Right tackle	Smith
Walsh	Right guard	Crivello
Muench	Center	Murphy
Merker	Left guard	Burton
Macklind	Left tackle	Garde
Butler	Left end	Harville-Brunner
Langley	Quarter	Sweringen
James	Right half	Jewett
Judd	Left half	Pfeiffer
Breen	Full back	Hubbard

Summary: West Ends 6, Spauldings 0. Referee—Chapman. Umpire—Hartman. Touchdown—Judd. Goal kicked—Macklind. Time of halves—25m.

C. B. C.S' DEFEAT TALLY HOS.

Win Exciting Game at Athletic Park by Score of Three to Two.

The C. B. C. team and the Tally Hos had an exciting game at Athletic Park, on Sunday, the former winning by a score of 3 to 2. The game was a very lively one and there were some hard scrimmages.

C. B. C.	Positions.	Tally-Ho.
Brehme	Goal	McCormick
Ricksiger	Fullback	Ramp
Corcoran	Fullback	Dale
Tighe	Halfback	Schmidt
Swacina	Halfback	Galagher
Riordan	Halfback	Brown
Picel	Forward	Shelton
Kavanaugh	Forward	Guion
Jarrett	Forward	Sauerbrun
McSweeney	Forward	Devanney
Granville	Forward	Craven

Final score—C. B. C. 3, Tally-Ho 2. Referee—John Quinn.

PLOT TO BLOW SAFE FAILED.

Night Watchman Frightens Away Men Who Were About to Use Dynamite.

Joseph Pfluger, night watchman at the Carondelet Foundry Co. works, at 2123 S. King's highway, reported to the police that an attempt to rob a safe in the office of the works was made Saturday night.

Watchman Pfluger says he saw two men peering in the office window late Saturday night and shortly afterward found a bull's-eye lantern, three bits and a stick of dynamite on the floor of the office. He believes that the marauders entered the office while he was making his rounds and were frightened away by his return.

YANKEE WINS THE RAPP CUP IN THE FIRST ANNUAL RACE FOR ST. LOUIS POWER BOATS

Yacht Yankee Which Won the Rapp Cup in Race Over a Fourteen-Mile Course Sunday.

Three Vessels Take Part in Contest for Silver Trophy Over Fourteen-Mile Course on River.

Summary:

	Yankee.	Hollo.	Idlewild.
Handicap		3:30	
Start	3:13:30	3:09:30	3:13:30
Finish	4:20:00	4:39:00	
Elapsed time	1:06:30	1:29:45	
Corrected time	1:06:30	1:26:15	

Mr. Vincent Rapp, donor of the cup for which the boats raced, acted as judge and timer, and Mr. H. Harrer as starter and timer.

The yacht race for the Rapp cup was run on Sunday and was won by the Yankee.

It was the beginning of a series of annual races between power yachts in the St. Louis harbor, and was over a 14-mile course. It was originally intended to sail over a 24-mile course, but it was decided to cut this down to about 14 miles.

Five boats were scheduled to participate in the contest, but the Crescent and the Genevieve refused the issue, and the Yankee, the Hollo and the Idlewild were left to contest for the silver trophy presented by Vincent Rapp.

The Yankee, owned by Gastreich and Larson, proved her superiority over her opponents by winning easily. The result might have been different, however, had not the Idlewild met with an accident to her machinery. On account of this accident the Idlewild did not finish.

The Yankee is equipped with gasoline power, and being of a light and narrow build can move quickly through the water. Permanent ownership of the cup will not be given until it is successfully defended for two consecutive years.

The next annual race is scheduled for September 1902.

CAMPBELL LEADS IN BILLIARDS

Has Highest Standing of Twelve Players in Three-Cushion Tournament.

The standing of the first 12 players in the amateur three-cushion billiard tournament at the Royal is as follows:

Players.	Handicap.	Won.	Lost.
W. O. Campbell	36	7	0
Robert W. Staley	34	7	1
D. C. Smith	30	5	2
George Watts	30	5	2
John Dawner	40	5	3
Chris Spreckles	30	4	3
Frank Williams	38	4	3
Thomas J. Wright	35	4	3
John W. Lambert	30	3	4
H. Knoll	30	3	6
Gus Wheeler	36	2	6
F. S. Jennings	30	1	6

FRENCH POOL TOURNAMENT.

Following is the standing of players in the French pool tournament at the Broadway:

Players.	W.	L.	Players.	W.	L.
Hueston	3	1	White	3	2
Jones	3	1	McGowan	3	3
Mack	3	1	Clayton	2	4
Russell	3	2	McWeeny	0	6

TURF GOSSIP.

William Brannon, who for almost ten years has been ruled off the American turf, was reinstated at Latonia on Nov. 16. The offense for which Brannon suffered so long was the "ringing" of a horse called Tanner under the name of Polk Badget. It was stated at the time that Brannon had cleaned up between thirty and forty thousand by the transaction.

The horse and the jockey who rode him are now dead, and Judge Perkins, who reinstated him, thought that Brannon had had enough punishment.

Such incidents are almost unknown on the English turf and if such a thing happened there the person guilty of such fraud would never be reinstated. They adopt more drastic measures in the tight little isle in cases of fraud than they do in the United States.

The Post-Dispatch selected Merops to win the first race at Oakland Saturday. He did so at the odds of 10 to 1. Leenja, picked to win the third at Latonia, cantered home with 6 to 1 against him, and Salve and Chanterelle, who were selected to win the third and fourth at Louisville, were at odds of 2 and 4 to 1 respectively.

Kinley Mack—now owned by J. B. Haggin—and doing service as a sire at the Elmendorf Stud, Kentucky, is the only horse who ever won the Brooklyn handicap and the Suburban the same year. He is five years old, is royally bred, and if performance counts for anything should make a successful sire.

An uncommon incident happened at Oakland on Nov. 12, when sire and son met in the same race, sixth on the program that day. El Oriente, three-year-old, won in a field of nine, and his sire, San Venado, who was favorite, finished next to last. Such a circumstance has probably never before happened on the American turf.

Danny Maher, the crack American rider, was reported some time ago to have contracted to ride for the Duke of Devonshire, but it now turns out that he is engaged by the firm of Blackwell & Marsh. As the latter trains for King Edward, Maher is bound to have some good mounts. His yearly salary is fixed at $35,000.

Jean de Reszke, the famous opera singer, has headed the winning owners of the Russian turf for the season of 1901. Cash Sloan, brother of the celebrated Tod, was his principal rider, and this probably accounts for the unusual success of De Reszke.

The opinion among horsemen is almost general that Endurance by Right is the greatest 2-year-old filly this country has ever produced.

Some of her most remarkable performances were her victory in the Lassie stakes at Hawthorne, June 1, distance five furlongs, which she won in 1:01, carrying 118 pounds.

June 12, at Harlem, in the Petite stakes, she carried 120 pounds and won pulled up in :56 1-5. June 22, at Washington Park, in a purse race, and carrying 120 pounds, she ran four and a half furlongs in :54 3-5. On June 25, in the Lakeside stakes, she carried 122 pounds and ran the five furlongs in the phenomenal time of 1:00 flat.

Again on July 20 she won an overnight handicap for $1400 with 122 up in 1:00 3-5. She was then sent to Saratoga, where she started only once, in a six-furlong race, which she won in 1:14 1-5, and was thence shipped to Sheepshead Bay, where she was to meet the cream of the 2-year-olds, among them Nasturtium, Goldsmith, Hyphen and Heno.

Her first try here was in the Flatbush stakes, in which she ran third to Nasturtium in a seven-furlong race in the remarkable time of 1:25 3-5. After this race she has not known defeat. Sept. 11 she won the Great Eastern handicap of $7500, carrying 125 pounds. She won in a canter and ran the distance in 1:13.

The most remarkable performance of her career was her victory in the Holly handicap, a dash of five and a half furlongs. In this race she carried 130 pounds and won in 1:07. This was a wonderful performance and stamped her as the best of her age and sex in the country. After this race she was matched with Clarence Mackay's Heno and defeated him easily.

After her match with Heno W. C. Whitney purchased her from John W. Schorr for a figure said to be $35,000. If she winters well and meets with no accident she promises to eclipse the records of the three queens of the American turf, Imp, Yo Tambien and Firenzi.

Old Scenter Rye Is Mellow
And wholesome. Ask for it. H. L. Griesedieck & Co., distributers, St. Louis.

MARLBOROUGHS' WINTER PLANS

Change Their Hunting Habit and Are Giving Much Time to Their New London Mansion.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

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LONDON, Nov. 16.—Duke and Duchess of Marlborough intend to pass the early winter at Blenheim. They will hunt with the Bicester and Heythrop hounds instead of taking a hunting box in Leicestershire, as they have done the last few years. They come to London frequently and the duchess entertains at the Carlton as they have no London house.

The new Marlborough mansion in Mayfair is perceptibly rising from the ground. Iron is being largely used in its construction. The pillars and girders of the frame look like a gigantic skeleton.

The great feature of the interior will be a marble hall with a staircase winding around it, a free adaptation of the famous marble staircase in the Barbarini palace in Rome. The furniture and decoration will be of seventeenth and eighteenth century French styles. The duke is greatly occupied just now acquiring the objects he requires.

The house will be only three stories high. It will contain a vast ball room, as the duke fully intends to become the social leader of the Tory party.

The duke was 30 years old last Wednesday. A family party assembled at Blenheim to celebrate his birthday. He was born in India, which fact is held to account in some degree for his delicate constitution.

The duchess presented him a beautiful genuine French eighteenth century marquetterie writing bureau for his study in the new house.

MONDAY'S ENTRIES AND SELECTIONS.

Oakland.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—Oakland entries for today:

First race, purse, maiden 2-year-olds, five furlongs:

Robert Bonner II	110
Knockings	110
Malaspina	110
The Maniac	110
Peggy Miles	105
Duke of Richelieu	105
Mintaka	113
Senator Bruce	113
Major Bird	113
St. Chester	113
Torilla	110

Second race, selling, six furlongs:

Gibraltar	112
Norford	114
Ben Ledi	113
Wyoming	113
Mike Rice	111
Torsina	111
Distance	107
Tiburon	107
Censor	107
Trimmer	107
Fine Shot	107
Scallywag	104

Third race, 2-year-olds, Futurity course:

Pirate Maid	100
Eva G.	95
Silva Cruse	103
Huachuca	103
Dr. Scharff	98
Sol Lichtenstein	105

Fourth race, handicap, mile and an eighth:

Flying Torpedo	95
Siddons	98
Barbara Freitchie	100
Articulate	107
Brutal	107

Fifth race, selling, one mile and a sixteenth:

Lady Meddlesome	115
Lizziella	113
Imperious	107
Lode Star	107
Sunello	107
The Gaffir	98
Bonnie Lissak	98
Galanthus	100
Decoy	107

Sixth race, selling, seven furlongs:

Gusto	112
Horton	112
Sea Lion	112
Marion Lynch	109
Bedeck	107

OAKLAND SELECTIONS.

First race—Malaspina, Torilla, Robert Bonner II.
Second race—Ben Ledi, Scallywag, Gibraltar.
Third race—Dr. Scharff, Eva G.
Fourth race—Articulate, Brutal.
Fifth race—Decoy, Galanthus, Bonnie Lissak.
Sixth race—Marion Lynch, Bedeck, Horton.

SUES FOR $40,000 DAMAGES.

J. R. Hodge Takes Action Against Chicago & Alton Railway.

The trial of a damage suit for $40,000 against the Chicago & Alton Railroad Co, was begun Monday morning before Judge Shiras in the United States Circuit Court.

J. R. Hodge of Rush Hill, Mo., is the plaintiff. He alleges that while he was driving a two-horse rig at Rush Hill, Jan. 7, 1901, he was run over by a Chicago & Alton train, through no fault or negligence of his own, and was so badly injured in the spine that he is permanently disabled. Mr. Hodge is badly crippled.

He brought suit for $40,000 in the Circuit Court at Mexico, Mo. The defendant, on the ground of non-residence, had the case removed to the United States Court.

Thirty-Four Horses Burned.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—The warehouse of the T. W. Jones Furniture Transit Co. was burned today, the loss being $50,000, with $40,000 insurance. Thirty-four horses perished in the fire.

CENTRAL NO. 2 TEAM DEFEATS WEST ENDS

Wallace and Tebeau High Men in Oarsmen Cocked-Hat League.

The Central No. 2 of the Oarsmen's Cocked-Hat League defeated the North Ends Sunday by a score of 3 to 2.

Wallace and Tebeau were high men for the winners. Summaries.

CENTRAL NO. 2.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Tebeau	8	29	39	48	52	35	41	215	43
H. Parker	5	44	30	42	39	26	44	181	36 1-5
Wallace	2	36	54	44	62	29	36	225	45
S. Parker	9	65	25	36	34	28	28	151	30 1-5
Roth	3	39	40	48	42	32	35	197	39 2-5
Totals	27	213	188	218	229	150	184	969	38 19-25

NORTH ENDS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
E. Wallace	2	48	52	48	43	30	24	197	39 2-5
Scales	8	47	46	29	36	40	33	184	36 4-5
Maas	8	56	42	33	47	27	34	183	36 3-5
Zimmerman	4	56	23	53	32	35	37	180	36
Bufe	10	50	31	32	43	29	25	160	32
Totals	32	257	194	195	201	161	153	904	36 4-25

O. M. C. LEAGUE.

The Garrisons and Beaumonts met Sunday, the former winning by a score of 3 to 2. Griesbach was high man for the winners and Lange topped the losers. Summaries:

GARRISONS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Murtf't (6)	6	40	45	51	41	33	47	217	43 2-5
D. Lee (8)	4	38	53	56	43	40	51	243	48 3-5
Gerber (8)	2	44	42	51	54	56	36	239	47 4-5
De'a'd (8)	3	41	56	50	43	44	49	242	48 2-5
Gries'h (6)	12	31	61	59	63	41	34	249	49 4-5
T'ls (6)	27	196	257	258	244	214	217	1190	47 5-25

BEAUMONTS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Dr. Pa'e (7)	6	41	49	49	41	33	47	219	43 4-5
De Graff (6)	3	31	52	61	47	42	43	245	49
Lange (7)	6	26	52	53	43	54	50	252	50 2-5
Ross (6)	7	41	36	37	46	54	46	221	44 1-5
Dr. Fis'r (8)	5	41	50	54	41	47	41	233	46 3-5
T'ls (34)	27	180	241	254	218	224	233	1170	46 20-25

The Columbias are first in the race for honors in the Queen City tenpin league of East St. Louis, having won all but one of their games. The Shamrocks are not far behind, however, and may close up the gap on the leaders during the week. Following is the complete standing of the club:

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Columbias	5	1	Westerns	2	4
Shamrocks	4	2	Screech Owls	1	2
Stockyards	3	3	Swifts	0	3

This weeks' schedule—Monday, Stockyards vs. Screech Owls; Wednesday, Columbias vs. Swifts; Friday, Westerns vs. Shamrocks.

CONSUMERS BEAT CRESCENTS.

St. Louis Bowlers Defeated in Alton. Three Games Out of Five.

The Kremers' alleys were opened Saturday night, with a contest between the Consumers and the Crescents of St. Louis. The Consumers consumed the Crescents by taking three of the five games. Held of the Crescents did the prettiest and best work of the evening, having seven cock pins, six misses and 283 pins.

Joe Shaw came in second, with seven-eight-257. The St. Louis boys were treated to a banquet after the bowling match was finished. Following is the score:

CRESCENTS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
C. Bright	6	19	40	67	43	42	68	255	51
Jungck	11	25	43	42	46	38	37	206	41 1-5
Dowling	11	16	50	58	34	55	45	237	47 2-5
Shaw	7	8	63	51	48	50	45	257	51 2-5
Grath	7	11	60	41	51	51	42	245	49
Totals	42	78	256	254	222	235	232	1200	

CONSUMERS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Nunneman	12	19	34	50	62	37	50	233	46 3-5
Gill	10	28	40	39	31	55	51	216	43 1-5
Griffin	11	19	34	50	34	50	55	223	43 3-5
Sparks	6	5	39	52	56	57	50	254	50 4-5
Held	7	6	68	59	68	42	45	283	56 3-5
Totals	36	87	215	250	251	241	212	1209	

Bennings.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Bennings entries for today:

First race, seven furlongs:

Flora D.	108
Land of Clover	105
Biff	102
Balloon	100
Beggar Lady	99
J. A. Warner	99
Flora	99
Woolgatherer	99
Garter Ban	99
Kingstelle	99
Bounteous	99
Tour	99
Rabunta	99
Anna Darling	94

Second race, five and one-half furlongs:

Bruff	110
Triton	110
Swamplands	110
Little Arrow	110
Long Love	110
Missile	110
W. A. Swift	110
Justice	110
Lemoyne	107

Third race, mile and forty yards:

Ohnet	112
Himself	110
Prasgrave	107
Andy Williams	100
Goldaga	100
Justice	100
Lord Quex	100
Playlike	100
Rightaway	100
Blue Ridge	97

Fourth race, six furlongs:

Gold Braid	108
Hans Wagner	107
Andy Williams	107
Lac	105
Hot	103
The Four Hundred	100
Succassunna	99
Atheola	99
Misleader	97
Ernest Parham	97
Locket	96
The Pride of Surrey	94
Rose of May	94
May J	94
Playlike	92
Zoride	91

Fifth race, mile and a sixteenth:

Flax Spinner	106
Mynheer	106
Curtsey	104
Ringleader	103
Avater	103
Jack McGinn	101
Piederich	101
Whistling Con	101
Warranted	98
Gray Dally	98
Spry	96
Arganauta	95
Punctual	95
Snark	90
Vesuvia	90
Lizzie A	90

Sixth race, mile and three-sixteenths:

Potente	126
The Puritan	120
Lucky Star	117
Carbuncle	117
Trebor	114
Raffaello	110
Roxane	113
Fatalist	108
Alfred Vargrave	102
Ohnet	100
Surmise	98
Handicapper	97

BENNINGS SELECTIONS.

First race—Kingstelle, Rabunta.
Second race—Bruff, Triton.
Third race—Rightaway, Lord Quex.
Fourth race—Ernest Parham, Locket.
Fifth race—Curtsey, Spry.
Sixth race—Carbuncle, Trebor.

COL. W. R. WALLACE DEAD.

He Was One of the Best Known Mining Men in the West.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 18.—Col. W. R. Wallace, one of the best known mining men in the West, is dead at Whittier, Cal. He aided in opening the Coeur d'Alene district in northern Idaho and founded the town of Wallace. He had also been interested in mining operation in Canada, Minnesota, Texas, New Mexico, Mexico and Arizona.

BIG GAME OF YEAR NEXT SATURDAY

Yale and Harvard Will Struggle for Championship on Soldiers Field.

The culminating point in the race for the Eastern football championship of the year will be reached next Saturday when Yale and Harvard will struggle on Soldiers' Field, Cambridge.

The season has been a tempestuous one, with many a desperate battle, and the passing of the storm finds the two teams thrown up as the sole survivors in the race.

Theirs is especially a case of survival of the fittest, and no doubts can be cast upon the legitimacy of their tenure of the leading positions of the year.

Both teams have met and defeated all comers, the sole exception being in Yale's case when West Point tied the blue.

That one blot on the otherwise spotless escutcheon of Old Eli has been more than wiped out by the decisive victory of Yale over Princeton Saturday.

One week from last Saturday West Point tied Princeton. Yale, with a crippled team, defeated the Tigers handily, seven days later.

That the struggle of next Saturday will be one of the fiercest of the many engagements in which these two elevens have been opponents no one who has followed the work of the two teams for the season can doubt.

What the outcome will be cannot even be hinted at. The aggregations appear so evenly matched that the slightest consideration may serve to weigh the balance down in favor of one or the other eleven.

Harvard has one of the fastest elevens it has owned in years. Its defense has been given especial attention by the coaches and on a mere showing of scores may possibly be entitled to the place of a slight favorite that has been accorded it in the East.

Strength Not Yet Shown.

What latent strength remains in the elevens that has not been called into play by the games so far played this season will probably determine the issue.

Which will respond the stronger when the final call is made for a supreme effort is a question the prophets out of the East have not speculated upon. Yale has always displayed better spirit under the circumstances, but Harvard may be relied upon to do something out of the ordinary.

The championship battle in the West has narrowed to two elevens, likewise. Wisconsin and Michigan stand out from the other teams on scores.

Minnesota was supposed to be in the race, but Saturday's game with the Wisconsin team dispelled any illusions that the Minnesota people entertained in this respect.

Michigan's victory over Chicago by a big score on a muddy field, was in line with its past work of the season.

Whether the supremacy in the West will be decided this season is uncertain. Managements of both elevens appear averse to trying conclusions in a post season contest. If an agreement is not reached between the two elevens, the championship will have to be left undecided or worked out by tortuous conclusions from scores.

JEFFERSON CLUB WINS GAME.

Defeat Y. M. I. Eleven on Christian Brothers' Campus.

The Jefferson Club and the Y. M. I. elevens had a lively game on Sunday at the Christian Brothers' campus. The former team won by a score of 6 to 1. The Jefferson Club was weakened by the absence of Finnigan and McDonough.

It was the first game of the season in which the Jeffersons had a goal scored against them. Bachof was the star player.

The line-up of the Jefferson Club and Y. M. I. teams was as follows:

Jefferson Club.	Position.	Y. M. I.
Tully	Goal	McCormick
Lynch	Fullback	McManus
Shea	Fullback	Betts
Bachof	Halfback	Heckwolf
Matthews	Half back	Leydon
Lewis	Halfback	Smith
Comerford	Forward	Byrnes
Ammans	Forward	Ryan
Reed	Forward	Williams
Daly	Forward	Finnigan
Cunningham	Forward	Lally

Final score: Jefferson Club, 6; Y. M. I., 1. Referee—Lawrence Riley.

MANY DEATHS IN ALTON

Pioneer Residents of the City Have Passed Away During the Week Just Ended.

There has been a remarkable death harvest in Alton the past few days, and especially are many of the deaths marked on account of the removal of old pioneers of the city.

Mrs. Elizebeth Nutter died at her home in the East End Saturday night, aged 88 years. She has resided in Alton for nearly 50 years, and was well known, and highly respected. The remains were shipped to Shipman, Ill., for burial, this morning.

Mrs. Fred Klinger of East Fifth street, died at her home Sunday afternoon, after a long illness. The funeral took place this afternoon, from the home to the City Cemetery.

John Johnston, one of the oldest residents in Alton, died at his home on upper Alby street, at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. Deceased was 72 years old, and has spent a good portion of his years in Alton. The funeral will take place from the German Evangelical Church, Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

Frankie, the 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hendricks, died in East Alton late Sunday night. The funeral will take place at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning from the Bushy Grove Church below East Alton.

Capt. Thomas L. Mortland, one of the pioneer steamboatmen of this portion of the Mississippi, and the pioneer resident of Calhoun County, died at his home near Hardin, Calhoun County, Sunday morning. He was well known in both Alton and St. Louis, having a home in St. Louis, where he lived in winter. Capt. Mortland had amassed a considerable fortune, and leaves much property.

The funeral of Samuel Wyss, Sr., occurred Sunday afternoon from the German Evangelical Church. Mr. Wyss was one of the best known residents of Alton, and the funeral cortege to the cemetery was the longest ever seen in Alton.

Capts. William and Henry Leyhe of the Eagle Packet Co. have left their homes in Alton for Warsaw, where they have been called by the death of their father, Henry Leyhe, Sr. Mr. Leyhe was 96 years of age.

WAUKESHA WATER IN SOUTH.

Well at Grenado, Miss., Has a Well With the Same Analysis.

GRENADA, Nov. 16.—If there is anything in a chemical analysis from the state chemist at the Mississippi Experiment Station, Grenada has a mineral artesian well which will make her famous. At the powerhouse of the waterworks plant there is a well which flows a good-sized stream of as pure and clear water as can be found anywhere. But this is not the remarkable part of it. This water has chemical and medicinal properties which have already proved very beneficial to a large number of citizens. To ascertain the true ingredients of the water, the City Council sent some of it to the state chemist for analysis. His report has been received, and it is very satisfactory. The water is almost identically the same as the famous Waukesha water, whose qualities are well known. The analysis shows the water to be as pure as can be found anywhere and possessed of valuable element for those afflicted with organic troubles. The citizens are very proud of the well.

AIRSHIP TO SAIL ACROSS OCEANS

Santos-Dumont Is Engaged Upon New Craft.

BIGGER THAN PRIZE WINNER

MOTORS OF 90-HORSEPOWER WORK PROPELLERS.

Petroleum to Be Used for Ballast and Consumption to Compensate for Loss of Bouyancy.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

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PARIS, Nov. 18.—M. Santos-Dumont is busily engaged upon his new airship, the one in which he expects to sail from Monaco to the Island of Corsica and afterward cross the Mediterranean Sea to Algeria.

Being intended for so long a journey this one naturally will be bigger than the Santos-Dumont VI, which won the Deutsch prize of $20,000 by sailing from St. Cloud around the Eiffel Tower and back.

The new craft will have two propellers, forward and aft, worked by two independent motors, developing together 90-horse power.

A clever feature has been introduced in the substituting of petroleum for sand as ballast, so if everything goes well there will be enough fuel to travel 20 hours, and it is estimated that the consumption of oil will exactly compensate for the loss of buoyancy, while an emergency reservoir can be opened, leaving the aeronaut with both hands free, instead of having his attention monopolized by the discharging of sand. M. Santos-Dumont will go to London Nov. 25, to attend a banquet given by a recently organized aero club. If his new airship is ready by that time he will go to the Riviera immediately after the banquet, to remain until he starts for Corsica, probably in January.

He calculates that the trip going will take four hours, the return trip 10 hours, including a stop at Calvi, Corsica.

M. Santos-Dumont had a busy week. Monday a great banquet was given at the Elysee Palace Hotel in his honor, at which Prince Roland Bonaparte presided. Tuesday he went to Monte Carlo to start work upon the aerodrome there. The Prince of Monaco not only gave for it ample grounds, admirably adapted to the purpose, overlooking the bay, between Monaco and Monte Carlo, but placed at M. Santos-Dumont's disposal the best engineers in the principality, and gave also building materials for sheds, shops and gas factory. The Duke de Dino offered his villa for the aeronaut's sole use. M. Santos-Dumont remained on the grounds for two days and plans were agreed upon. Then he returned here.

MAYOR VANQUISHED BY A BOY

Latter Resents City Executive's Interference With His Smoking With Strong Emphasis.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Mayor Harrison tried to carry on the anti-cigarette crusade in the city hall yesterday afternoon and had to acknowledge himself worsted by a small boy. The mayor tells the story on himself and says he will not attempt to moralize with small boys any more. He had been called to the meeting of the finance committee and was walking toward the elevator when he noticed two bits of boys exchanging whiffs of a cigarette stuck in a long holder.

"Thinking of Miss Lucy Page Gaston and her long fight against the cigarette evil, I walked up to the boys and asked them if they did not know there was a law against small boys smoking cigarettes," said the mayor.

"Is dat so?" said one of the boys, as he spat on the floor like a city hall official.

"Wat's dis guy givin' us?" said the other youngster, looking scornfully at the mayor. "It's a funny t'ing I never heard of the law and me bein' studying for a lawyer for de last year. G'wan, get out o' here!"

The mayor took the elevator.

CRIED FOR A CELL IN JAIL.

Embezzler Got Lost and Wept Because He Couldn't Find Prison.

Special to the Post-Dispatch

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Nov. 18.—Walter Miller pleaded guilty to a charge of embezzlement and was sentenced to three months' imprisonment. In the rush following the adjournment of court Miller got lost in the crowd. Soon after District Attorney Gorman found him in the courthouse corridor crying. Mr. Gorman sympathized with the young man in his grief and was surprised when the latter told him that he was crying because he could not find the jail. The district attorney put Miller on the road to the prison and the young man went there unaccompanied.

FOUND DEAD ON THE PRAIRIE.

Woman and Her Daughter Perish in a Storm.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Nov. 16.—Mrs. Armstrong, aged 55, and her daughter, aged 25, were found dead on a prairie near Gage Wednesday. They had recently come from Northwestern Illinois, and settled on a claim. They had started out to hunt their cows, and were overtaken by night and a storm and were unable to find their way back, and perished from exhaustion. How long they wandered around will never be known. When found they were dead, lying side by side, not more than an eighth of a mile from a house, but several miles from their own home.

A LONG JOB FOR SOMEBODY.

Wants 250 Miles of Barbwire Fence Taken Down and Rolled Up.

ANADARKO, O. T., Nov. 16.—Indian Agent Randlett has issued a call for informal proposals to take down and roll up the barbed wire around all the old pastures on the Wichita reservation. It is estimated that there is about 250 miles of this fence, three wires high and weighing a pound to the rod. The requirements are that the contractor deliver the wire in coils of 100 pounds each at the agency.

The Indian agency has just received two car loads of new barbed wire to be used in fencing Indian allotments. These two cars will be all that is needed at this place, as the wire removed from the pastures will be sufficient to finish the fences.

MINERS FOUGHT PISTOL DUEL.

One Was Killed, the Other Fatally Injured at Johnston City, Ill.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MARION, Ill., Nov. 18.—James Melvin and Tom Coons of Johnston City, five miles north of here, fought a duel with pistols yesterday. Melvin is dead and Coons perhaps fatally injured.

Melvin succeeded in shooting Coons five times before the latter could return the fire, but his first shot struck a vital spot and Melvin died within 20 minutes. An old grudge was the cause of the shooting.

Both men were employes of the Johnston City Mine. The shooting took place on the principal street of the town and created great excitement.

THE BANNER ROUTE
WABASH
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Nov. 27
TICKET OFFICE, EIGHTH and OLIVE

ALTON PASTORS ACT AS SLEUTHS

TWO MINISTERS VISIT SALOONS AND CAUSE ARRESTS.

CLOSING LAW ENFORCED

Preachers Take Notes Which When Produced as Evidence Compels the Police to Act.

Two of Alton's best-known ministers, Rev. H. K. Sanborne of the Presbyterian Church and Rev. J. H. J. Rice of the Congregational Church, did police duty for the benefit of the Christian Federation in Alton last night, and as a result three saloon keepers were called before the police magistrate today to explain why their saloons were open on Sunday.

The ministers did not stand across the street and watch to see where the men went who entered the screened doors, but entered the saloons themselves and marked in their little notebooks what was going on.

After the regular church service in the churches these ministers went down into the city and made the rounds of the principal saloons. They were all wide open, in spite of the orders of the police for them to close.

The ministers stated when interviewed that one of their number, also a minister, had been assured by Mayor Young that he had ordered the chief of police to have every saloon in the city of Alton closed Sunday. The ministers wanted to know whether the edict had been obeyed.

The first saloon visited was that of John Kremer, in the Hotel Madison building. The first act of the show at the theater across the street was just over, and the ministers counted 102 men as they entered the door of the saloon. They declare that each man was served with liquor.

After this several other saloons were visited and were found to be open. Capt. O'Leary of the night police was summoned by the ministers and was asked what it meant for the saloons to be open. The captain replied that he had instructed his police to close these places and that all of the proprietors who had kept their places open would be arrested.

Some of the arrests have already been ordered and others will be made today.

This is the beginning of a crusade that will be waged against the saloons of Alton by the members of the Christian Federation of the city.

The saloon keepers themselves are laughing to think that the first raid was made by the ministers of the city instead of the police.

The Long Distance Phone

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POST-DISPATCH COMPLETE DAILY RECORD OF MARKETS

GRAIN MARKETS WORKED LOWER

WHEAT AND CORN MET HEAVY SELLING AFTER OPENING.

CORN RECEIPTS WERE LIGHT

A Heavy Increase in the Visible Wheat Supply Depressed the Market 1-2c.

Wheat and corn opened unchanged to ⅛@¼c up, but the market met heavy selling and declined rapidly. The foreign markets were weak. The corn receipts were light and wheat receipts heavy, Minneapolis and Duluth reporting 1412 cars, 546 more than a year ago. The winter wheat movement showed improvement, St. Louis receiving 82,060 bu, a moderate increase over the receipts of a year ago. The primary receipts increased 295,225 bu.

Reflecting the declines in the American markets and affected by the larger shipments to the United Kingdom, wheat opened at Liverpool with a loss of ½d. During the morning prices steadied ⅛d to ¼d on buying by a large house. Corn was influenced by the American weakness Saturday and opened ¼d, but later the near-by option advanced ½d owing to the light shipments to Liverpool during the past week. The distant month steadied ⅛d in sympathy. Wheat closed ⅛d lower and corn ⅛d higher. Antwerp was unchanged and Paris up ⅛c.

Besides the heavy receipts there was an increase of 3,718,000 bu in the visible wheat supply, which depressed the market.

Wheat on ocean passage showed an increase of 1,920,000 bu for the week. Corn increased 408,000 bu. The world's wheat shipments last week were 8,503,000 bu, 702,000 bu less than the previous week. The corn shipments were 1,773,000 bu, 209,000 bu more than a week ago. The Chicago wheat stocks 257,000 bu, while the corn stocks decreased considerably. The Liverpool wheat stocks showed an increase of 144,000 bu, while there was no change in corn. The Russian and Danubian wheat shipments were heavy, being in the aggregate 3,624,000 bu. Argentine shipped only 36,000 bu. The English visible supply increased 306,000 bu.

The market closed with wheat ⅝@½c below Saturday. Corn from ¼@⅜c to ⅝@½c and oats ⅛c.

The wheat news was bearish. Foreign markets were lower and the cables from Argentine reported that the weather had improved and the crop was doing well.

Northwest houses sold heavily after the opening against the receipts. Early buyers turned sellers.

The clearances were 540,000 bu in wheat and flour, but there was very little export buying heard of.

The wheat market met extensive commission house selling, especially of December. This option opened a shade lower at 73⅝c. There was a fair demand for May and it opened ⅛@¼c up at 77⅛@77⅜c. The pressure to sell became heavy and Dec. dropped to 73⅜c on light trading. May went down to 76⅝c and rallied to 76⅞c. The heavy increase in the visible checked the bulls and sent the market off. Dec. dropped to 73¼@73⅜c and May to 76⅛@76½c. Dec. rallied to 73⅜c, which was asked at the close, ⅜@½c below Saturday. There was a better demand for May and this option rose to 76⅞c asked at the close, a loss of ⅜c.

Receipts of wheat at primary points today were 1,591,225 bu, as compared with 1,296,000 bu same date last year.

Shipments, 365,823 bu, compared with 463,000 bu same date last year.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth were 1412 cars, as compared with 866 cars same date last year.

December wheat sold today at 73⅝c, 73⅜c, 73½@73⅝c, 73¼c, 73⅜@73¼c, 73⅜c, 73⅜@73¼c, 73½c, 73⅜@73¼c, 73⅜c, 73¼@73⅜c and 73⅜c.

May sales: 77¼@77⅜c, 77¼c, 77⅛c, 77c, 76⅞c, 76¾c, 75⅝@76⅞c, 76⅞c, 76⅝@76⅞c, 76⅝c, 76¾c, 76⅝c, 76⅞c, 76⅝c, 76⅞c, 76½@76⅝c, 76⅝c, 76⅝@76⅝c, 76½c, 76⅝@76½c, 76½c, 76⅝c, 76⅝@76⅞c and 76⅞c.

There was little change in the corn situation, the visible showing a decrease of 485,000 bu, while the primary receipts were 253,962 bu less than a year ago. The clearances were only 36,887 bu.

The country was selling very little, but despite the bull news the market worked lower.

For the first time in a long while there was an increase in the receipts of corn at St. Louis, but the market opened only a shade higher. Outsiders sold freely and the buying was scattered. The cables were firm, Liverpool closing with a gain of ⅛d. Dec. opened a shade higher at 61⅞c and May up ⅛@¼c at 63⅞c. The market met heavy selling to take profits and Dec. dropped to 60⅝@60⅞c and May to 62⅝c. There was a slight rally and Dec. closed with a loss of ¼@⅜c at 61⅝c asked. May rallied to 63¼c bid at the close, ⅝@⅛c below yesterday.

Receipts of corn at primary points today were 390,038 bu, as compared with 644,000 bu same date last year.

Shipments, 436,519 bu, compared with 1,005,000 bu same date last year.

December corn sold today at 61⅞c, 61⅝c, 61⅝c, 61⅞c, 61¼c, 61⅛c, 61¼c, 61¼@61⅜c, 61¼c, 60⅞@61c, 60⅞c@60⅞c, 61c, 61¼c, 61¼@61⅜c and 61⅝c.

May sales: 63⅞c, 63¾c, 63⅝c, 63⅝c, 63⅝c, 63⅛c, 63¼@63½c, 63⅜c, 63¼@63⅜c, 63⅜c, 63¼c, 63¼c, 63c, 63@63¼c, 63c, 63@63¼c, 63⅛c, 63¼c, 63¼c, 63¼c, 63¼c, 63¼@63¼c, 63⅛c, 63c, 62⅞c, 62⅞c, 62⅞c, 63¼c and 63¼c.

The visible oats supply decreased 930,000 bu, but there was an increase of 46,725 bu in the receipts. The clearances were 362,642 bu.

Chicago reported that provision operators who sold last week were good buyers. Outsiders bought and May opened ⅛c up at 42⅝c and sold off to 42c. The market reacted on the big decrease in the visible and light country sales. May went off to 42¼c bid at the close, ⅛c below yesterday.

Receipts of oats at primary points today were 319,725 bu, as compared with 273,000 bu same date last year.

Shipments, 298,072 bu, compared with 455,000 bu same date last year.

CASH GRAIN MARKET.

Reports of wheat at St. Louis today were 82,060 bu, compared with 73,948 bu a year ago. Of these 127 sacks and 71 cars were local and 28 cars through, compared with 2999 sacks and 77 cars local and 7 cars through the same day a year ago.

Despite the drop in futures there was a good cash demand for wheat all day. Local and outside mills were liberal buyers. No. 2 red sold this side at 74½, on the hall at 73½c and east side at 75c. Hard wheat was off ½c, No. 2 selling east side at 71½ and this side at 72. One car of Nebraska yellow brought 71c.

Receipts of corn at St. Louis today were 115,200 bu, compared with 100,875 bu a year ago. Of these 131 cars were local and 13 cars through, compared with 900 sacks and 71 cars local and 52 cars through the same date a year ago.

Cash corn declined in sympathy with the break in the futures. The offerings were larger than usual and shippers were light buyers. Mixed corn was down nearly ⅛c. No. 2 sold this side at 63¼@63¾c, and No. 3 at 63@63½c, this side and 62½c delivered east side. White corn suffered a big drop, owing to the increased offerings. No. 2 sold east side at 65@65½c, from elevator at 65c and loaded at 65½c. No. 3 sold at 64¼@64½c this side and 64 east side. Yellow corn was off over 1c, No. 2 selling this side at 63⅜c and No. 3 east side at 62½@62¾c.

Receipts of oats at St. Louis today were 50,400 bu, compared with 38,785 bu a year ago. Of these 31 cars were local and 11 cars through, compared with 77 sacks and 31 cars local and 1 car through the same date a year ago.

Though the oats receipts were larger than a year ago, the market was firm. No. 2 mixed sold this side at 44¼c, No. 2 northern at 44½c and No. 3 white at 45@45½c. No. 2 white sold east side at 45½c and this side at 45½c.

Visible Grain Supply.

Wheat, 45,677,000 bu, compared with 41,959,000 bu a week ago, an increase of 3,718,000 bu. A year ago the supply was 62,861,000 bu.

Corn, 12,156,000 bu, compared with 12,641,000 bu a week ago, a decrease of 485,000 bu. The supply a year ago was 8,428,000 bu.

Oats, 6,860,000 bu, compared with 7,790,000 bu the previous week, a decrease of 930,000 bu. A year ago the supply was 12,832,000 bu.

World's Grain Movement.

The world's shipments of grain last week were as follows: Wheat, 8,503,000 bu, compared with 9,205,000 bu the previous week and 7,764,000 bu a year ago. Corn, 1,773,000 bu, compared with 1,564,000 bu the previous week and 5,161,000 bu a week ago.

The wheat shipments were distributed as follows: America, 4,958,000 bu; Russia, 2,528,000 bu; Danube, 1,096,000 bu; Argentine, 36,000 bu; India, 168,000 bu; Australia, 160,000 bu.

The corn shipments were distributed as follows: America, 620,000 bu; Russia, 136,000 bu; Danube, 742,000 bu; Argentine, 658,000 bu.

The total world's shipments of breadstuffs the past week were 10,480,000 bu, of which the United Kingdom took 6,080,000 bu.

Grain on ocean passage: Wheat, 35,280,000 bu, an increase of 1,920,000 bu. Corn, 6,246,000 bu, an increase of 408,000 bu.

Lead and Spelter.

Receipts—Lead, 7326 pigs; shipments, 3035 pigs; spelter and zinc, slabs, 4035; shipments, 764. Lead steady and firm, with soft Missouri selling at $4.25@4.27½; chemical hard at $4.27½, and desilverized at $4.32½. Spelter quoted at $4 10@4.12½.

Rye and Barley.

Receipts of rye at St. Louis were 750 bu; shipments, none; market higher; No. 2, 60½c.

Barley—Receipts, 1200 bu; market quiet; choice worth 55@62c.

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Today.	Saturday.	Year ago
Wheat	3,451,791	3,439,277	5,279,878
Corn	455,153	481,389	74,307
Oats	156,705	158,208	48,528
Rye	104,785	104,786	12,882
Barley	3,179	10,049	65,673
No. 2 red wheat	2,648,489	2,640,893	2,233,850
No. 2 hard	418,788	413,867	307,257
No. 2 mixed corn	228,997	232,590	32,065
No. 2 white	85,017	42,783	22,356
No. 2 mixed oats	76,738	78,238	37,911
No. 2 white	3,223	3,223	....
No. 2 rye	90,235	90,236	5,144
No. 2 yellow corn	186,611	185,815	....

Western Movements of Grain.

	Wheat.		Corn.	
	Rec.	Ship.	Rec.	Ship
St. Louis	82,060	23,780	115,200	34,480
Chicago	140,150	119,697	109,800	377,669
Toledo	14,999	1,900	20,798	8,324
Detroit	3,000	2,666	5,000	1,090
Kansas City	111,200	19,200	132,800	12,800
Milwaukee	65,600	36,800	3,800	950
Minneapolis	984,600	54,780	8,640	....
Duluth	200,619	107,000	....	1,206

Western Flour Movement.

	Receipts.	Shipm's.
St. Louis	13,465	9,155
Chicago	33,901	28,169
Detroit	1,000	800
Milwaukee	12,075	2,973
Minneapolis		57,037

Export Movements of Grain.

	Wheat.		Corn.	
	Rec.	Ship.	Rec.	Ship.
New York	17,100	191,080	51,000	14,570
Baltimore	56,588	88,000	40,454	17,143
Philadel'a	36,417	7,887	27,333	4,674
Boston	65,836	....	23,869	....
Galveston	24,750	105,200	....	....
New Orleans	35,000	....	2,000	....

Export Flour Movement.

	Receipts.		Shipments.	
	Barrels.	Sacks.	Barrels.	Sacks.
New York	11,610	18,738	2,182	84,454
Baltimore	19,213	....	37,374	....
Philadelp'ia	8,439	....	....	....
Boston	2,275	....	....	....
New Orleans	300	900	....	....

Sample Market Prices.

	Today.	Saturday.	Year Ago.
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red	73½@75	74 @75¼	72½@73½
No. 3 red	....	73 @73½	70 @72
No. 4 red	....	72 @72½	64 @68½
No. 2 hard	71 @72	72½ e. s.	69 @69½
No. 3 hard	71½del. e. s.	71½ e. s.	67 @68
CORN.			
No. 2 mixed	63¼@63¾	64 @64½	36 @36½
No. 2 white	65 @65½	68½ del.	37 @37½
No. 3 mixed	62½@63¼	43½@44	35¾@36
No. 4 mixed	62 @62½	43 @43½	....
No. 3 white	64 @64½	64¼@65¼	37 @37¼
No. 2 yellow	63⅜ t. s.	65 t. s.	36¾n
No. 3 yellow	62½@63¼	64 @65	36¼
OATS.			
No. 2 mixed	44¼ t. s.	44 @44¼	23½@24
No. 2 northern	44½ t. s.	44 @44¼	24
No. 2 white	45¼@45½	45¼@45½	26¼@26½
No. 3 white	45 @45½	44 @45¼	25 @26
No. 4 white	44½@45	43½@44	24 @25
No. 3 mixed	44 @44¼	43½@44	23
No. 4 mixed	43½@44	43 @43½	22

FUTURE PRICES.

ST. LOUIS.

	Closing Saturday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
Dec.	73¾@73⅞b	73¾	73¼@73⅜	73⅜a
May	77¾a	77¼@77⅜	[illegible]	76⅞a
CORN.				
Dec.	61⅝@61¾b	61⅞	60¾@60⅞	61⅝a
May	63⅝@63⅞	63⅞	62⅝	63¼b
OATS.				
Dec.	41¼n	....	....	40½n
May	42½n	42⅝	42	42¼b

CHICAGO.

	Closing Saturday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
Dec	72¼@72⅜a	72¼@72⅜	71½	71¼
May	76 a	76	75¼	75½@75⅝a
Nov	71⅜n	....	....	71⅜n
CORN.				
Dec	60 a	60	59	59⅝@59¾b
May	62¾	62⅞	61¾	62½@62⅝
Nov	59¼n	....	....	59 n
OATS.				
May	40⅞	40⅞	40⅛	40½b
Dec	39⅝@39¾	39⅝@39½	38⅞@39	39⅝
Nov	39⅛	....	....	39⅛b

CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

	Closing Saturday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
PORK.				
Jan	$14.90	$15.10	$14.90	$15.10
May	15.12@15b	15.35@37	15.15	15.35@37
Nov	13.60 n	....	....	13.75 n
RIBS.				
Jan	$7.65	$7.72@75	$7.65	$7.72@75
May	7.80 a	7.90	7.80	7.90
Nov	7.75 n	....	....	7.80 n
LARD.				
Jan	$8.50	$8.60	$8.55	$8.60 a
May	8.65 a	8.75	8.67	8.75 a
Dec	8.47 n	8.55	8.50	8.55 n

NEW YORK.

	Closing Saturday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
Dec.	80 b	79¾@80	79½	79¾a
May	81½	81⅜@81½	80⅝	80⅞
CORN.				
Dec.	67½a	66⅞	66¼@66¾	66¾
May	67½	67⅜	66⅜@66½	66⅝b

MINNEAPOLIS.

	Closing Saturday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
Dec.	70¼	70¼	69¼@69⅝	69⅝@69¾
May	72⅝	72⅝	71⅝@71⅞	72⅛@72¼

HAY, FLOUR AND PROVISIONS.

HAY AND FEED.

Market steady. Receipts moderate. Demand not as good as Saturday.

Receipts—Local, 265 tons; through, 100 tons; shipments, 225 tons; choice timothy, $15@15.50; No. 1, $13.50@14.50; No. 2, $12.50@13. Clover—No. 1, $11.50@12; No. 2, $10.50@11; clover, mixed, $11@12.50; alfalfa, $10@13; prairie, No. 1, $13.50; No. 2, $12@12.50.

BRAN—At mill, large sacks, 94@95c; small, 95@97c.

SHIPSTUFFS—Firm at $1.15 on track.

STRAW—Wheat, $3.50@4; rye, $6@7.

FLOUR.

Patents	$3 40@3 60
Straights	3 15@3 20
Clears	2 90@3 10
Low and medium grades	2 30@2 70
Pearl meal, grits and hominy	3 30
Cornmeal	3 00
Rye flour	3 10@3 40
Spring wheat, patents, bulk	3 55@3 65

PROVISIONS.

Quotations given here are for lots in a jobbing way on the exchange. On orders, much higher.

PORK—Per bbl, $14 75.

DRY SALT MEATS—Extra short, $8.12½ per 100 lbs; clear ribs, $8.25; clear sides, $8.50; bellies, $8.87½@9.37½; fat backs, $7.87½; standard, $8.87½.

BACON—In a jobbing way, extra short, $9; clear ribs, $9.12½; standard clear, $9.37½.

GREASE—Country: Yellow, 4¼c; white, 4⅝c, brown, 3⅝c; packers' white, 5⅛c; brown, 4¼@4½c; yellow, 4½@4¾c; oleostearine, 12c.

DRIED BEEF—Sets, 12½c; insides, 13½c; outsides, 12c; knuckles, 13½c.

SUGAR-CURED HAMS—10¾@11½c; breakfast bacon, 10½@12c; California hams, 7⅞c; sugar-cured bellies, 9⅞@10½c; New York shoulders, 7⅞c.

TALLOW—Country; No. 1, 4⅝@5½c; packers, 6@6¼c.

LARD—In a jobbing way, $8.45 per 100 lbs.

BEEF—Plate, $10 per bbl; Fulton Market, $10.50.

On the Street.

FRUITS.

COCOANUTS—In a small way, $4 per 100; selling by dealers at $35 per 1000.

BANANAS—On orders $1@2 per bunch.

GRAPES—Concords, 17@17½c; Catawbas, pony, 16@17c.

GRAPE FRUIT—Jamaica, $4.50@6.50 per box.

ORANGES—Mexican $[illegible]@3 per box; Florida, $2.75@3; California, $3.25@3.50.

LEMONS—California, $[illegible]@3.75; Sicily and Verdelli, $2.50@4.

PEARS—Kiefer, $2.50@3 per bbl.

CRANBERRIES—Cape Cod, $7@8 per bbl.

PINEAPPLES—Florida, $2.50@4 per dozen; Cuba, $1@1.50.

PACIFIC COAST FRUITS—Tokay, Morocco and Cornichon grapes, $1.50@1.60; Verdel, $1.25 per ½ crate; Emperor, $1.90@2 per crate; quinces, $1.25 per box. Pears—$1.50@2.50.

MALAGA GRAPES—$5.50@7 per bbl.

APPLES—Jonathan, $3@3.75 per bbl; Geniting, $1.75@2.75; Grimes and pippins, $3@3.50; Ben Davis, $2.25@3; Winesap, $2.50@3.25; Willow Twig, $2.50@3.25.

VEGETABLES.

CUCUMBERS—Illinois hothouse, 50@75c per doz; Florida, $1@2 per bu box.

CAULIFLOWER—Long Island, $2@2.50 per bbl.

ONIONS—Red, $1.20@1.25 per bu; yellow, $1.20@1.25; white, $1.40@1.50; green onions, 10@25c per dozen bunches.

CELERY—California white plume, $2.50@3 per crate; Michigan, $1@1.25; white plume, 30@40c per bunch; home-grown, 25@50c.

NEW ORLEANS VEGETABLES—Beets, 35@40c per doz; carrots, 35@40c; kohlrabi, 50@60c; lettuce, $1.50@3 per bbl; radishes, 15@30c per doz.

CARROTS—Northern, $1.50 per bbl; 70@80c per 100 lbs.

EGG PLANT—Kentucky and Arkansas, $1.50@2.25 per doz.

TURNIPS—Home-grown, $1.25@1.50 per barrel; unwashed 40@50c per bu; washed, 70@80c.

MUSHROOMS—25@40c per lb.

STRING BEANS—New Orleans round green, $2.50@3 per bu; Texas, 1-3-bu box, 50@65c; Florida, $2@2.50 per bu.

SHALLOTS—New Orleans, 30@40c per dozen bunches.

PEPPERS—New Orleans, $1.50@2 per bu box; red, $1.50@2.

RADISHES—Home-grown, 10@15c per doz bunches.

OYSTER PLANT—Home-grown, 30@40c per doz bunches.

POTATOES—Northern, 85@88c per bu for average receipts; 90c for choice; small way, 95c@$1; Colorado, $1.10@1.15.

TOMATOES—California, $1.50 per 4-basket crate; Florida, $2.25@3.

LETTUCE—Home-grown, 25@35c per bu; endive, 25@35c.

HORSERADISH—Home-grown, $4@4.50 per bbl.

PARSNIPS—Northern, $1.50@1.75 per bbl; 75@80c per sack.

PARSLEY—Michigan, 10@20c per doz bunches.

SPINACH—Home-grown, 30@40c per bu loose.

GUMBO—New Orleans, $1@1.25 per bu.

RUTABAGAS—25@30c per bu; $1 per bbl.

MUSTARD GREENS—Home-grown, 20@25c per bu box.

CELERY ROOTS—Northern, 20@30c per doz.

SAUERKRAUT—Small lots, $1.80@1.90 per ½ bbl; $3.50@3.75 per bbl.

KALE—Home-grown, 20@25c per bu box.

CABBAGE—Domestic, 75@80c per 100 lbs; $5@11 per ton; Holland seed, 70@80c per 100 lbs; $13@14 per ton; red, $1.25 per 100 lbs; $20 per ton.

SWEET POTATOES—Bermuda, $2.50@3 per bbl; 90c@$1 per bu; red, $2@3.50 per bbl; $1.25@1.40 per bu; yellow, $2.50@2.75.

EGG AND BUTTER MARKET.

Receipts, 544 cases; shipments, 420 cases; near-by and southern 21c, loss off, cases returned.

BUTTER.

Creamery—		Roll	8 @12½
Extra	24	Dairy—	
Firsts	22	Extra	18 @20
Seconds	19 @20	Firsts	14 @15
Country—		Ladle packed—	
Choice	12	Firsts	15
Poor to fair	7 @10	Extra	14

FISH, GAME, VEAL AND POULTRY.

FRESH FISH—Croppie, 4@8c, according to size; sunfish, 3c; black bass, 7@11c; white bass, 2c; dressed cat, 8½c; bullheads, 8c; buffalo, 2@4c; carp, 4c; white perch, 2c.

LIVE POULTRY—Old roosters, 3½c; young roosters, 5c; geese, 4½@5c; ducks, 6c; pigeons, 70@75c per doz; spring chickens, 6c for average receipts; hens, 5c; turkeys, 7c; poor and thin not wanted.

ROASTING PIGS—75c@$1 each.

GAME—Prairie chickens, $7 per doz; pheasants, $7; jacksnipe, $1.50@1.75; quail, $2@2.25; plover, $1.25. Wild turkeys—Toms, 10c per lb; hens, 8@9c. Ducks—Mallards, $3@3.25 doz; canvasback, $5; redheads, $2.50@3; teal, $2@2.50; mixed, $1.75. Deer—Carcasses, 10c per lb; venison saddles, 20c; opossum, 10@25c each; squirrel, 60c per doz; rabbits, $1@1.10.

CHEESE—Jobbing, Twins, at 10¾c; single, 11c; dairies, 11¼c; Y. A., 11½c; long horns, 11½c; New York, large, 10¾c; New York, small, 11½c; limburger at 12c; Swiss, 12@15c; brick, 11½c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Chickens, old hens, 6c; roosters, 4@6c; ducks, 7c; spring chickens, 7c; geese, 5½@6c; turkeys, 8c.

VEALS—Heavy, 3½@4c; 100@125-lb 4½c; heretics, poor and thin, 2@2½c; spring lambs, 3@4c; old sheep, 2@2½c; bucks, 1@2c.

NUTS.

PEANUTS—Farmers' stock, red, 1¾@2c per lb; white, 2½@2¾c.

PECANS—Western, 8½c per lb; Texas, 8½c.

CHESTNUTS—Virginia or Maryland, 8c; Kentucky, 6@7c.

WALNUTS—50c per bu or 1c per lb.

HICKORY NUTS—Large, 75c per bu; shell bark, $1.50.

WOOL.

Missouri and Illinois—Medium combing, 16½@17c; medium, 16¼@16½c; braid and low, 15½@16c; burry and clear mixed, 14½@15½c; slight burry, 13c; hard burry, 11c; light fine, 13½@14½c; heavy fine, 10½@11½c. Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota—Bright medium, 16c; dark medium, 14½@15c; braid and low, 14@14½c; fine medium, 13@14c; light fine, 13@13½c; heavy fine, 10½@11c. Kansas and Nebraska—Bright medium, 16c; dark and sandy, 14@14½c; fine medium, 14c; light fine, 13@13½c; heavy fine, 10@11c. Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Medium, 15@16c; coarse and low, 13@13½c; fine medium, 12½@13½c; light fine, 12@13c; heavy fine, 10@10½c. Dakota and Western—Bright medium, 15½c; dark medium, 13@14c; fine medium, 13@13½c; light fine, 12½@13c; heavy fine, 9½@10½c. Arkansas and southern—Medium, 15½@16½c; burry, 11@13c; hard burry, 9½c. Wash wool—No. 1, 24c; No. 2, 20@22c; Angora goat hair (long), 14@15c; short, 11@12c; burry, 5@6c.

HIDES—Dry flint—Average Texas receipts, 14@14½; heavy Texas, 15¼c; southern, 14c; selected No. 1, 14½c; selected No. 2, 12½c; dry salted, 12c; selected No. 1, 12½c; No. 2, 11½c. Green salted—Western, 8¼c; southern, 8c; No. 1, 9c; No. 2 and bulls, 8c; culls, dry, 2c; green, 4c.

DEERSKINS, ETC.—Deerskins quotable at 26c per lb for prime; Texas at 23c; antelope, 15c; goatskins, 25@27½c each.

SHEEP PELTS—Market quiet, lambs, 15@30c; full wool, 40@75c; shearing, 5@15c.

LINSEED OIL—Nominally 58c for raw and 59c for boiled.

BROOMCORN—Firm; according to quality, $70@100 per ton.

FEATHERS—Firm; small sacks, 47c; in large sacks, 45c; gray and quilly, 36c; white, old, 35@37c; X, 25@30c; XX, 16@20c; XXX, 10@20c.

SORGHUM—New quotable at 25c per gal.

OLD IRON AND METAL—20@55c per 100 lbs; brass, $7@11; copper, $12; zinc, $2.25; lead, $3.75; pewter, $12.

HOPS—14@16c; old, 12@14c; foreign, 40@45c.

CIDER—Per bbl, $3.50@5.

HONEY—Comb, dark, 6@8c; amber, 10@11c; white clover, 11½@12½c; extracted and strained in barrels, at 4@4½c, and in cans, 4½@5c.

BEESWAX—Prime, 26½c per lb.

COTTON SEED OIL—Summer, yellow, 38c, and white, 39c; winter, yellow, 42c, and white, 43c.

CASTOR OIL—Choice, 11½c; No. 1, 10½c.

HIGHWINES—Steady; $1.30.

HEMPSEED—Pure test at $2.50 per 100 lbs.

MOSS—Gray mixed, 1½@1¾c; gray, brown and black mixed, 1¾@2c; brown and black mixed, 1¼@2c; machine picked, 3@6c.

POPCORN—Choice white, $2.25@4 per 100 lbs.

MAPLE SUGAR AND SYRUP—New, 6@8c per lb; Canadian, 14c; maple syrup, 60@90c per gal.

ROOTS—Ginseng, $3.75@4.25; lady slipper, 6c; seneca, 30c; pink, 14c; golden seal, 46@47c; may apple, 2½c; snake, 30c; black, 4s; angelica, 4c; wahoo, bark of root, 8c; bark of tree, 2½c; blood, 2¾c; blue flag, 3c; skull cap leaves, 10c; sassafras bark, 4c; wild ginger, 4c.

SUNFLOWER SEED—White Russian, $2.50@2.60 per 100 lbs.

DRIED GREEN PEAS—Scotch, $1.45; ordinary, $1.40; split, $1.70.

CASTOR BEANS—Car lots at $1.35@1.40 per bu.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples: Evaporated rings, 6@7¼c; quarters, 5½@6¼c; sun-dried, 3@4½c. Peaches—Sun dried, 1¼@2c.

WHITE BEANS—Hand-picked pea beans, $1.95@2; machine picked, $1.90@1.95; buck-eye peas, 60@65c per bu.

SALT—East Side, medium, 90c per bbl in car-load lots; granulated, 85c; worth 5c more this side.

BONES—Choice bleached, $15 per ton. Other kinds, $10 to $14 per ton.

GRASS SEED—Timothy, $5.50@6; clover, $9@9.25; red top, $5@6; millet, 75c@$1.25.

RAGS—Country, 60@65c per 100 lbs; old rope, 50c@$1.75; rubber, $6.50.

FURS—Raccoon, 10@80c; mink, 15c@$1.25; skunk, 15@50c; wild cat, 15@20c; house cat, 10c; civet cat, 10@15c; badger, 5@25c; muskrat, 5@10c; opossum, 10@30c; red fox, 25c@$1; gray fox, 10@50c; otter, $1.50@7; wolf, 50c@$1.50; bear, $1@12; beaver, $1@6; southern skins 15c less and northern 15@25c more than prices quoted.

LIVE STOCK.

National Stock Yards.

NATIVE CATTLE—Receipts, 1400. Market steady.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
16 steers	1411	$7 00
16 steers	1451	6 50
12 steers	1135	5 75
1 steer	1030	4 50
4 cows	1027	3 50
3 cows	1100	3 00
1 heifer	650	5 00
9 heifers	768	3 15
1 bull	1600	3 50
2 calves	115	7 75
3 calves	129	5 25

TEXAS CATTLE—Receipts 2000; market steady.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
100 steers	955	$4 25
22 steers	936	3 60
139 steers	955	3 50
104 steers	820	3 40
2 cows	845	2 75
29 cows	760	2 90
2 bulls	1215	2 00
28 Arkansas mixed	524	2 00

SHEEP—Receipts, 2000; market steady.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
46 lambs	78	$4 50
46 lambs	78	4 40
6 culls	94	4 00
63 sheep	117	3 50
1 buck	120	2 00

HOGS—Receipts, 4000. Market steady.

SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
74	281	$5 65	7	271	$5 65
91	155	5 65	95	174	5 60
48	213	5 60	76	192	5 60
95	213	5 60	27	183	5 55
74	173	5 55	72	144	5 50
188	162	5 50	18	150	5 45
23	186	5 45	19	144	5 45
81	153	5 40	36	117	5 25
83	147	5 25	48	108	5 10
68	108	5 15	24	100	5 00
5	200	4 90	57	69	4 70
44	99	4 90	57	58	4 50

HORSES AND MULES—Receipts, 900. The horse market closed the week very quietly, with little or no activity. There were very few holdovers and supplies were nominal.

HORSE QUOTATIONS.

Heavy draft—	
Common to good	$120 00@150 00
Choice to extra	160 00@185 00
Chunks—	
1150 to 1350 pounds, fair to good	65 00@ 80 00
Good to choice	85 00@110 00
Coach horses and cobs—	
Fair to good	140 00@175 00
Choice to extra	200 00@500 00
Horses for the South—	
Small light drivers, fair to good	30 00@ 45 00
Choice to extra	50 00@ 70 00
Southern drivers, large	85 00@125 00
Export chunks—	
1200 to 1500 pounds, plain to good	75 00@ 90 00
Choice to extra	100 00@120 00
Business drivers—	
Fair to good	85 00@110 00
Choice to extra	125 00@150 00
Saddlers for southern use—	
Fair to good	75 00@ 90 00
Choice to extra	100 00@135 00
Fancy gaited and N. Y. saddlers	150 00@300 00
Inferior horses—	
Common, small plugs	20 00@ 30 00
Heavy work plugs	40 00@ 60 00

The mule market closed slow and dull, with values no better than two days ago. The animals were small.

MULE QUOTATIONS.

(For broke mules, 4 to 7 years old.)

14 hands, extreme range	$ 50 00@ 70 00
14 hands, bulk of sales	50 00@ 60 00
14½ hands, extreme range	55 00@ 80 00
14½ hands, bulk of sales	55 00@ 65 00
15 hands, extreme range	75 00@110 00
15 hands, bulk of sales	75 00@ 90 00
15½ hands, extreme range	90 00@125 00
15½ hands, bulk of sales	95 00@105 00
16 to 16¼ hands, extreme range	120 00@160 00
16 to 16¼ hands, bulk of sales	125 00@140 00

The first line of quotations in each class is calculated to represent the full range from common to extra. Dealers, however, often classify superlative bunches (all tops) for buyers, which sometimes sell considerably above the highest quotations. The second line of quotations signifies the bulk of sales and generally represents the various classes as they are sold on the commission market, more or less mixed.

STOCKYARDS NOTES.

Hogs averaging 201 to 227 pounds sold at the top of the market this day last year at $5.

This week two years ago Texas and Indian Territory calves sold mainly at $ .50@10.50, the bulk of the cows at $2.75@3.25; stock steers, full range, at $2.65@3.35, and beef steers, 487 to 1225 pounds average, at $2.50@4.75, with the bulk at $3.50@4.20. The best offerings were fed and they averaged 875 to 1225 pounds and sold at $4.20@4.75.

Sales a year ago today included Arkansas yearlings at $2.55, calves at $7.50 per head, bulls at $2.40, cows and mixed cattle at $2@3, the bulk going at $2.40@2.75; stock steers at $2.50@3.25, Texas and Indian cows at $2@3.15 and steers, 815 to 872 pounds average, at $3.35@3.65.

Two years ago this week on the market beef steers in the 1300 to 1600 pound class sold at a full range of $5 45@6.35 and the bulk at $5 65@5.85, butcher heifers mainly at $3.50@4.15, bulk of the cows went at $2.35@3.35, most of the stock steers at $3@3.60 and the feeders largely at $3.90@4.10.

J. R. Walsh, livestock agent of the Chicago & Alton Railroad, at the Union Stockyards Chicago, and William Young, also of Chicago, were visiting the yards today and making themselves conversant with the vast number of improvements which are going on. They expressed themselves as being much impressed with the rapid advancement and expansion which the market is making.

Union Stockyards.

HOGS—Market opened steady; closed strong and active; receipts fair.

SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
69	219	$5 75	10	278	$5 75
13	186	5 70	42	200	5 70
5	240	5 70	78	198	5 70
87	206	5 65	12	191	5 65
6	253	5 65	12	195	5 60
47	199	5 60	54	201	5 60
37	180	5 55	79	185	5 55
37	208	5 55	19	215	5 55
13	233	5 50	25	194	5 50
18	174	5 40	105	156	5 40
48	184	5 35	20	189	5 35
38	159	5 30	23	151	5 20
10	144	5 10	52	137	5 10
19	132	5 00			

CATTLE—Market strong and active.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
5 calves	110	$5 00
3 dairy cows	1043	2 90
3 dairy cows	900	2 60
3 dairy cows	1266	3 40
3 dairy cows	956	2 50
2 dairy cows	1060	3 12½
4 dairy cows	1130	3 25
3 dairy cows	1080	2 50
3 dairy cows	850	2 90
3 dairy cows	896	2 85
2 dairy cows	950	2 75
4 dairy cows	1070	2 65
3 dairy cows	990	2 75
7 dairy cows	1013	3 20
5 s. e. mixed	753	3 12½
6 s. w. cows	790	2 60
3 s. w. cows and calves, each		24 00
5 calves	130	5 50
6 native cows	1150	$3 00
6 sausage cows	941	2 00
1 native cow and calf		38 50
2 native cows and calves, each		40 00
3 s. e. cows and calves, each		31 50
8 stock steers	715	3 25
6 stock steers	880	3 25
5 s. e. steers	905	3 60
7 s. e. stockers	620	2 50
2 s. w. cows and calves, each		25 00
1 native heifer	920	3 65
2 s. w. bulls	800	2 35
7 dairy cows	820	2 75
8 s. w. heifers	737	3 30
5 s. w. cows	974	2 40

LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 22,000; 2000 westerns; steady to weak; good to prime, $6.25@7.15; poor to medium, $4.00@6.25; stockers and feeders, $2.00@4.40; cows, $1.25@4.60; heifers, $1.50@5.00; canners, $1.25@2.30; bulls, $2.00@4.75; calves, $2.50@6.25; Texas steers, $3.30@4.00; western steers, $3.50@5.40. Hogs—Receipts today, 46,000; tomorrow, 38,000; left over, 3681; steady; mixed and butchers, $5.50@5.80; good to choice heavy, $5.60@5.85; rough heavy, $5.35@5.50; light, $5.25@5.55; bulk of sales, $5.60@5.75. Sheep—Receipts, 28,000; sheep dull, 10c lower; lambs, 10c to 15c lower; good to choice wethers, $3.40@4.00; fair to choice mixed, $2.80@3.40; western sheep, $3.00@3.75; native lambs, $2.50@4.50; western lambs, $4.00@4.50.

Official Saturday: Receipts—Cattle, 710; hogs, 23,898; sheep, 1434. Shipments—Cattle, 781; hogs, 2982; sheep, 74.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 5000, including 1000 Texans; market steady; native beef steers, $4.65@6.20; Texas and Indian steers, $2.75@4.40; Texas cows, $1.90@3; native cows and heifers, $2.50@5.25; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4.25; bulls, $2@3.75; calves, $2.75@5.25. Hogs—Receipts, 8000; market steady to 5c lower; bulk of sales, $5.30@5.85; heavy, $5.85@5.95; packers, $5.70@5.80; medium, $5.60@5.85; light, $5.10@5.75; yorkers, $5@5.65; pigs, $4.25@5. Sheep—Receipts, 5000; market steady; muttons, $2.50@3.60; lambs, $3.75@4.65; yearlings, $3.40@3.60; wethers, $2.90@3.50; ewes, $2.50@3.25.

SOUTH OMAHA, Nov. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 6100; market stronger on good; slow on common; native beef steers, $4.25@6.50; western steers, $3.65@5.25; Texas steers, $3.40@4.30; cows and heifers strong, $2.30@4.25; canners, $1.25@2.65; stockers and feeders steady, $2.75@4.40; calves, $3@5.50; bulls, stags, etc., $2@4.15. Hogs—Receipts, 9800; market steady to stronger; heavy, $5.60@5.75; mixed, $5.60@5.65; light, $5.55@5.65; pigs, $4.50@5.50; bulk of sales, $5.60@5.65. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; market steady; fed muttons, $3.60@4; western wethers, $3.25@3.65; common and stock sheep, $2.50@3.50; ewes, $2.75@3.15; lambs, $3 50@4 60.

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SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Nov. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 2100; market steady to 10c lower; top, $6.05. Hogs—Receipts, 6000; market steady to strong; bulk, $5.60@5.85; range, $5.40@5.97½. Sheep—Receipts, 4900; market steady to strong.

Cotton Futures Open Steady.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Cotton futures opened steady at the decline; Nov., 7.49c; Dec., 7.51c; Jan., 7.51c; Feb., 7.50c; March, 7.50c; April, 7.52c; May, 7.49c; June, 7.50c; July, 7.49c; Aug., 7.38c.

New York Money and Exchange.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18, Noon.—Money on call firm at 4½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange strong, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.88@4.88¼ for demand and at $4.84⅜@4.85 for 60 days. Posted rates $4.85@4.85½ and $4.88½@4.89. Commercial bills $4.84@4.84¼. Bar silver 56⅞. Mexican dollars 45. Government bonds weak; ref. 2s, reg., 108⅝; coup., 108⅝; 3, reg., 108; coup., 108⅝; new 4s, reg., 139; coup., 139; old 4s, reg., 112⅝; coup., 112⅝; 5s, reg., 107, coup., 107.

St. Louis Curb Grain Market.

May wheat, 76⅝@76⅞c; puts, 76⅛@76⅜c; calls, 77c.

December corn, 61½c bid; puts, 61⅛@61⅜c; calls, 61⅞c.

May corn, 62¾@62⅞c; puts, 62⅜c; calls, 63⅜c.

ACTIVE MARKET FOR LOCAL STOCKS

NEW WEEK OPENED UP VERY LIVELY AND FIRM.

MISSOURI TRUST A FEATURE.

There Was a Good Demand for All Banks and Trust Stocks—Tractions Quiet.

The outlook for another lively and exciting week in the local stock market, as exemplified by the proceedings on the floor of the Stock Exchange this morning, was, in the opinion of a majority of the brokers present, encouragingly bright, and it was their belief that business transacted, should it continue as it started out, would more than likely equal, if it does not surpass, the heavy dealings of last week. The market started off tamely, but it was not long before things livened up very much and, although the excitement was not so great as has been witnessed of late on the floor, a very active market was experienced, the dealings were larger and a number of new high-price records were made.

One of the leading features of the opening session was Missouri Trust. Again was this stock in demand and another flying upward start was made. There was a rush for buying orders at the outset and a rapid bulge in prices, the top price paid being $141, or $5 per share higher than the stock closed last Saturday, while the closing bid was $5.50 higher. The dealings in this were large, a total of over 250 shares being traded in during the session. Nearly all other trust stocks were in demand and showed unmistakable evidence of strength, though no material advances were recorded. Bank stocks showed strength and in the case of Continental National and State National, which were in more or less urgent demand, there was advances of $2.50 and $3 per share respectively. The trading was light, however, and confined to National Bank of Commerce and Continental.

There was a shade of weakness shown by United Railways early, but outside of the bonds, which sold ¼ point off, there was no material change in market values and the few trades made in the stock were on a basis of Saturday's closing quotations. New York reported a quiet market for these securities, but no changes of importance. There was not much attention paid to Granite-Bimetallic mining stock and trading was small, but at a shade advance as compared with last week's close. Miscellaneous securities and bonds were quiet and showed no important changes or developments during the day.

MORNING SESSION.

	Bid.	Asked.
United Railways 4s	$ 90 75	$ 91 00
do pfd	88 75	89 00
St. Louis Transit	30 75	31 00
Missouri-Edison com	17 00	....
do pfd	50 00	....
Old Mercantile Trust	....	427 00
New Mercantile Trust	....	430 00
Lincoln Trust	290 75	291 50
Missouri Trust	141 50	142 00
Union Trust	374 00	375 00
Title and Guaranty Trust	145 00	148 00
Commonwealth Trust	349 00	350 00
St. Louis Trust	341 00	....
National Bank of Commerce	330 00	333 00
Continental National	259 50	260 00
State National	212 50	....
Mechanics' National	258 00	....
American Exchange	298 00	306 00
Boatmen's Bank	225 00	....
German Savings Bank	275 00	....
Brewery 6s	95 00	96 25
Granite-Bimetallic	3 05	3 10
Laclede Gas com	94 00	....
St. Joe Lead	16 50	....
American Central Insurance	208 00	....
Cotton Compress bonds	90 00	....
Simmons Hardware com	165 00	169 00
Merchants'-Laclede Bank	....	257 00

SALES.

United Railways 4s, $10,000 at $91, 20 at $88.75, 100 at $88.75, 50 at $88.75.

Transit, 75 at $31, 125 at $30.75.

Lincoln Trust, 50 at $291.50, 35 at $291, 25 at $291.

Missouri Trust, 75 at $136, 25 at $137, 25 at $138.50, 25 at $139, 25 at $140, 20 at $141, 100 at $140.50, 50 at $140.75.

Union Trust, 25 at $375.

St. Louis Trust, 9 at $340.

Bank of Commerce, 50 at $260, 7 at $260, 25 at $259.

Mechanics' National, 25 at $258.

Granite-Bimetallic, 100 at $3.05, 200 at $3.05.

American Central, 5 at $208.

Brewery 6s, 1060 at $95.25.

LOCAL MONEY MARKET.

New Week Opened Up Active—Money in Demand.

The new week in local banking and trust circles opened up this morning in a way to greatly encourage the belief that business would be fully as heavy and the proceedings as active as those of last week, if they would not surpass them. Receiving and paying tellers and the clerical force of each department were kept busily employed from the opening of business to the close, and in many cases they were obliged to work overhours. The demand for money, which was one of the features of the financial situation last week, was of a lively character this morning, and discounting was on a large scale. Money was plentiful and the character of the paper presented such that a large number of loans were made and interest rates were quoted unchanged and steady at from 5 to 6 per cent. In a routine way the proceedings at the different banks and trust companies were both brisk and heavy. Checking and depositing was heavy and business with outside financial institutions encouragingly large, while collections were said to be satisfactory.

The bank clearings this morning, as posted by the clearing house, were large, at $9,711,651, as compared with $9,972,148 last Monday, while the day's balances were $1,405,194, compared with $985,665. There was a falling off in the clearings slight and of no material significance.

UNITED STATES BONDS.

Name.	Int.	Due.	Coupon.	Bid	Asked
U.S.4s reg.	4 in coin	1907	Q. from May	112⅝	113
U.S.4s cp.	4 in coin	1907	Q. from May	112⅝	113
U.S.5s reg.	5 in coin	1904	Q. from Jan.	107	107⅝
U.S.5s cp.	5 in coin	1904	Q. from Jan.	107	107⅝
U.S.4s reg.	4 in coin	1925	Q. from Jan.	139	139⅝
U.S.4s cp.	4 in coin	1925	Q. from Jan.	139	139⅝
U.S.3s reg.	3 in coin	1918	Q. from Aug.	108	109
U.S.3s cp.	3 in coin	1918	Q. from Aug.	108	109
U.S.2s reg.	2 in coin	1930	Q. from May	108⅝	109¼
U.S.2s cp.	2 in coin	1930	Q. from May	108⅝	109¼

U. P. AND ST. PAUL DROP

Securities Within Influence of Northwestern Settlement Were Depressed at Wall Street Opning.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Stocks of railroads within the influence of the Northwestern railway settlement were depressed at the opening on the threat of legislative obstacles to the plan.

Union Pacific dropped 1⅛ and St. Paul a point, and other stocks were lower in sympathy, but there were points of firmness elsewhere in the list.

The gain in Denver & Rio Grande reached 1⅝. American Locomotive stocks were in demand at advices of about a point each.

The transcontinental stocks became steadier when bull manipulation developed in the specialties. This was most pronounced in Metropolitan Street Railway, Amalgamated Copper and Consolidated Gas, which rose from 1 to 2 points. The general run of stocks, however, did not vary much from last week's close and the prices reached on the rally were not long maintained, as effect of selling Sugar and the announcement of $4,000,000 gold engaged for export forced the market off before 11 o'clock. Sugar and New York Central declined a point, Metropolitan Street Railway 1½ and the Pacifics and grangers receded to the lowest.

Losses were extended throughout the active list in the second hour on realizations and short selling induced by uneasiness as to the monetary outlook. Quite a number of leaders ruled between 1 and 2 points under last week's close. Pacific Mail dropped 2½. Notable exceptions were the Pacific coast stocks and General Electric, which rose 1¾@2. Wells Fargo jumped 13 points to 195. American Express rose a point and U. S. Express ¾. The market hardened before noon, but became intensely dull. Bonds were easier.

The pressure increased upon less prominent stocks and Twin City Rapid Transit, Illinois Central, Erie second preferred, Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville, Chicago Terminal preferred, Chicago & Alton and Minneapolis & St. Louis yielded from 1 to 3 points. Prices of the leaders were scaled down further through midday selling, being especially felt in Atchison, Missouri Pacific, Brooklyn York Central, St. Paul, Union Pacific, Brooklyn Transit, People's Gas and Amalgamated Copper.

GRAIN MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—The wheat pit opened steady but a trifle easier today as a result of Liverpool's response to the Saturday decline here. Dec. sold a shade to ⅛@¼c lower, at 72¼@72c. The week-end statistics were moderately bearish which also influenced a lower trend of prices. While the local receipts were small, northwestern receipts had increased materially, as had likewise the amount of breadstuffs afloat. The visible supply was estimated at a large increase and influenced by a mixed trade, prices hugged 72c for Dec. during the first hour. Local receipts were 63 cars, one of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth reported 1412 cars, making a total for the three points of 1475, against 1337 last week and 951 last year. World's shipments were 8,972,000 bu for the week, against 9,862,000 bu the week before and 7,774,000 bu the corresponding week last year. The increase on passage was 1,920,000 bu. Dec. corn opened ⅛@¼c lower, a 59⅞c to 59¾c, on lower cables. Receipts were small, but the weather was good for a free movement and the Danubian and Argentine districts were reported as shipping more than America. The trade was moderate, with more offered than wanted at the opening. A little later there was a small demand that brought Dec. to 60c, but this failed soon and prices dropped back again to 59⅝c. Toward the close of the first hour the market turned heavy, but without any pressure. Receipts were 112 cars.

On liberal commission house selling and the sag in wheat Dec. corn sold off to 59c, reacting some wheat on covering and closing weak, ¼@⅜c lower at 59⅝@59⅜c.

Dec. oats opened ¼@⅜c to ⅜@½c lower, at 39⅝c to 39¼c on the easier feeling in other grains. Receipts here were large and trade rather quiet. Offerings were fairly liberal and Dec. sold off early to 39⅛c. Receipts were 319 cars.

Provisions were dull, with a slightly better tone on a good hog market. Jan. pork opened unchanged at $14.90, and advanced 2½c; Jan. lard 2½c to 5c up, at $8.52½@8.55, and Jan. ribs unchanged at $7.65, and sold up 2½c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Cash wheat—No. 2 red, 73¾@74c; No. 3 red, 71¾@73¾c; No. 2 hard winter, 71¾@72c; No. 3 hard winter, 70¾@71¾c; No. 1 northern spring, 72¾@73¾c; No. 2 northern spring, 70¾@72c; No. 3 spring, 67@71c. Corn—No. 2, 60¼@60¾c; No. 3, 60¼c. Oats—No. 2, 40½@41c; No. 3, 40@40¼c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Close: Wheat, Nov., 71⅜c; Dec., 71¼c; May, 75½@75⅝c. Corn—Nov., 59c; Dec., 59⅝@59¾c; May, 62½@62⅝c. Oats—Nov., 39⅛c; Dec., 39⅝c; May, 40½c; July, 36⅞c. Pork—Nov., $13.75; Dec., $13.75; Jan., $15.10; May, $15.57½. Lard—Nov., $8.55; Dec., $8.55; Jan., $8.60; May, $8.75. Ribs—Nov., $7.80; Jan., $7.72½@7.75; May, $7.90. Flax—Cash Northwest, $1.47; No. 1, $1.47; Nov., $1.47; Dec., $1.44; May, $1.47½. Rye—Dec., 58½c; May, 62c. Barley—Cash 54@60c. Timothy—March, $6.15.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Close: Wheat, Dec., 67⅝@67¾; May, 72@72⅛; cash No. 2 hard, 68½@69; No. 3, 67½@68; No. 2 red, 72@73; No. 3, 69½@71. Corn, Dec., 63⅜; May, 63⅜@63½; cash No. 2 mixed, 65@66; No. 2 white, 65@65½; No. 3, 64½@65. Oats, No. 2 white, 44c. Rye, No. 2, 60@61c. Hay, choice timothy and prairie, $13@13.50. Butter, creamery, 18@22c; dairy, fancy, 17c. Eggs, fresh, 20c. Receipts, wheat, 139 cars.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Poultry—Alive weak; unchanged; dressed easier; springers, 8c; fowls, 8@8½c; turkeys, 8@9c.

PEORIA, Nov. 18.—Corn easier; No. 3, 62½c. Oats easier; No. 3 white, 42⅜c, billed through. Whisky on the basis of $1.31 for finished goods.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Butter firm; creameries, 15@25c; dairies, 14@20c. Eggs, firm; loss off, cases returned, 23c. Dressed poultry, steady; turkeys, 7@9½c; chickens, 7@8c.

DULUTH, Nov. 18.—Close: Wheat, cash No. 1 hard, 73⅜c; No. 2 northern, 68¼c; No. 1 northern, 70⅜c; Dec., 69⅝c; May, 73½c. Oats, 39½@39c. Corn, 59½c.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Butter—Receipts, 5542 pkgs; firm; state dairy, 18@23c; creamery, 17@25c; June creamery, 17½@22½c; factory, 12½@15½c. Cheese—Receipts, 769 pkgs; firm; fancy large, Sept., 9⅞@10c; fancy large, Oct., 9¼@9½c; fancy small, Sept., 10½@10⅝c; fancy small, Oct., 9⅞@10¼c. Eggs—Receipts, 6687 pkgs; firm; state and Pennsylvania, 26@27c; western candled, 24@27c; western uncandled, 22@26c. Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3 13-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 11-16c; molasses sugar, 2 15-16c; refined, steady; crushed, 5.40c; powdered, 5c; granulated, 4.90c. Coffee irregular; No. 7 Rio, 6⅝c. Molasses steady.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 18.—Wheat, spot, steady; No. 2 red western winter, 5s 10d; No. 1 northern spring, 5s 9¼d; No. 1 California, 5s 10½d. Futures quiet; Dec., 5s 9½d; March, 5s 11d. Corn, spot, firm; American mixed, new, 5s 4¾d. Futures firm; Dec., 5s 3⅞d; Jan., 5s 2⅝d; March, 5s 1⅞d.

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LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 18.—Cotton—Steady; middling, 6⅝c; good middling, 6⅞c; receipts, 3255 bales; this day last year, 1744; since Sept. 1, 90,801; this time last year, 86,449; shipments, 1996; this day last year, 2163; stock, 3980; this day last year, 23,018.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—A demand for spot cotton was the feature of the market today, besides this there were fears of colder weather and a more bullish government weekly report Tuesday—so that, in spite of lower cables, warmer weather and higher temperatures, together with 10,500 bales increase in the port movement and a brisk interior movement, prices at length improved somewhat.

The opening was unchanged to 2 points down on weak cables. For a time room shorts sold early positions, but Wall street houses fought at the lower level and before noon a sharp rally was seen. Gains were thereafter made largely on Southern buying and firmness in the cash markets and at the close the market was steady at a gain of 2 points.

Rates of Foreign Exchange.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Foreign exchange rates were as follows today:

London	488
Paris	515
Berlin	95½
Vienna	20⅝
Stockholm	27⅝
St. Petersburg	52
Antwerp	515
Rome	525

Domestic Exchange.

A. G. Edwards & Sons Brokerage Co., exchange brokers, quote domestic exchange as follows:

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Liverpool Spot Cotton.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 18, 4 p. m.—Cotton—Spot, moderate business, price 1-32d lower; American middling, 4 9-32d.

New York Bond Sales.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Bond sales by thousands were as follows on the first call today

Atch. 4s, 11 at 103.
do adj., 16 at 93⅜.
do stamped, 34 at 93½.
A. & D. 4s, 10 at 96.
B. & O. gen. gold 4s, 5 at 103⅝.
do prior lien, 3½s, 20 at 96⅝.
Cen. Ga. 1st inc., 3 at 72¼.
C. & O. gen. 4½s, 8 at 107⅝.
C. & A. 3s, 78 at 87⅝.
C. B. Q. 4s, jt., 324 at 98⅞@99.
C. R. I. & P. gen. 4s, 2 at 106⅝.
Chicago Ter. 4s, 5 at 91¼.
Col. Sou. 1st 4s, 18 at 88⅜@88½.
Con. Tob. 4s, 54 at 64½@64¼.
D. R. G. con. 4s, 15 at 103⅛.
D. M. & M. Land Grant 3½s, 15 at 34.
Erie 1st conv., 15 at 99⅞@100.
do 1st gen. 4s, 65 at 89@89¼.
Erie Penna. col. trust 4s, 26 at 94¾@95.
Int. Paper 6s, 9 at 109@109¼.
K. C. Sou. 3s, 30 at 69⅝@70.
M. K. T. 2d 4s, 14 at 82@82¼.
M. P. 1st col. 5s, 22 at 108.
M. & M. inc., 105 at 109⅜.
N. Y. C. L. S. 3½s, 20 at 97.
M. C. 3½s, 15 at 95¼.
N. P. gen. 3s, 4 at 72⅝.
Reading gen. 4s, 14 at 99¾@99⅞.
R. G. W. 1sts, 26 at 101¼@101½.
St. L. I. M. ref. 4s, 35 at 91¼@91½.
St. L. S. F. ref 4s, 20 at 97½@97⅝.
S. P. 4s, 7 at 94⅝@94⅞.
S. R. 1st 5s, 8 at 120⅝.
Third Av. con. 4s, 326 at 101¼@101½.
U. P. 1st 4s, 1 at 106¼.
U. P. conv. 4s, 287 at 107⅞@108.
Wabash deb. B, 30 at 60@60¼.
W. L. E. 1st conv., 20 at 92@92¼.
W. C. gen. 4s, 10 at 88⅝.

JAPANESE LABORERS KILLED.

HELENA, Mont., Nov. 18.—Reports have been received here of a disastrous wreck on the Great Northern near Culbertson Station in the northeastern part of the state. An eastbound extra freight in charge of Conductor Charles Bach and Engineer Raypier collided with a work train and 25 Japanese are reported to have been killed. The extra was running 25 miles an hour around a sharp curve in the track at the time of the accident. So far as can be learned the Asiatics were the only ones killed.

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BARBER—Sit. wanted by colored barber; will work wages or percentage in business. Ad. Joe Reid, 3020 S. 2d st.

BARTENDER—Sit. wanted as bartender by temperance man; 20 years' experience. T. C., 3128 Pine st.

BARKEEPER—Sit. wanted by young man as barkeeper; good mixer; good city references. Ad. M 153, Post-Dispatch.

BELL BOY—Sit. wanted as bell boy. 3435 Olive.

BOY—Sit. wanted by colored boy to work around office or store; must have work; age 16. Ad. O 84, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Situation wanted by honest boy of 16; prefers to learn any kind of trade. Ad. L 138, P.-D.

BOY—Sit. wanted by boy of 17 in wholesale house or to do light work of any kind. Ad. O 82, P.-D.

CARPENTER—Carpenter work wanted; 25c per hour. Ad. N 188, Post-Dispatch.

CLERK—Clerk wants situation; 5 years' experience in groceries, 2 years in men's furnishings; age 23; references. E. Bryan, 1703 Washington.

CUTTER—Sit. wanted by an experienced clothing cutter. 818½ Franklin, 2d floor.

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DRUG CLERK—Situation wanted, with college privileges. Ad. O 134, Post-Dispatch.

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FIREMAN—Sit. wanted as stationary fireman; first-class reference. Apply to J. S., 1723 Grand av., East St. Louis.

MAN—Wanted, position in office or wholesale house; must have work. Ad. L 52, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man, soliciting or collecting, on commission, from 8 to 12 in the morning. Ad. M 151, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Colored man wants to attend furnace and do other light work for board and room, near 4300 Finney av.

MAN—Sit. wanted by man, 35 years of age, light outside position; experienced collector; specialty salesman; A1 reference furnished. Ad. L 140, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Married man in need of immediate employment; sober, reliable, steady worker; delivery driver, watchman, collector or any kind of work. Ad. M 77, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Man wants two days' work a week, housecleaning, etc.; best refs. Ad. O 68, P.-D.

MAN—Situation wanted by good, honest man willing to do any kind of work. 3117 Vine Grove av.

MAN—Position wanted by colored man to do any kind of work; can give references. 2607 Morgan.

MAN—Sit. wanted by good hotel man, as steward or head waiter in private hotel or large boarding house; can do anything; am good manager and buyer; wages not so much an object as permanent place. Ad. M 85, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted of any kind by an honest, sober, industrious young man of 21. G. Marks, 912 Cass.

MAN—Sit. wanted by man of 40 in the country or on farm. Ad. O 97, Post-Dispatch.

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MAN—Man wants steady situation; experienced with horses, cows, garden, flowers, furnace; generally handy; good refs. Ad. O 139, P.-D.

MAN—A sit. wanted by a young man of 18, willing to do any kind of work. Ad. O 135, Post-Dispatch.

PAINTER—Situation wanted by painter; young man of 22; good brush hand in painting inside work; cheap. 4244 Vista av.

PIECE WORK—Plenty of spare time with my present situation, want piece work to do at home. Ad. A 142, Post-Dispatch.

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SALESMAN—Wanted, position as real estate salesman; can bring some business with me; good references. Ad. L 160, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Sit. wanted as traveling salesman in Tennessee; wide acquaintance and influence; will make trial trip. Ad. O 199, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Sit. wanted by A1 salesman and office man; 5 years experience; best of references. Ad. O 66, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Party once proficient as salesman in retail shoe store would like a chance to make himself useful until familiar with stock when he would be at service; small wages. Ad. F. J. Keenan, 706 Locust st.

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WATCHMAN—Sit. wanted as watchman; experienced; ref. Ad. H. Stokes, 201 S. 14th st.

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BOYS WANTED—Small boys, at 1001 Carr st.

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BOY WANTED—Colored boy of 18 years to work around store. 1037 N. Vandeventer av.

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EDGE TRIMMER WANTED—Edge setter and insole cutter. 4333 Warne av.

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TAILOR WANTED—Allaround tailor; steady work. 3840 Finney av.

TAILOR WANTED—Allround tailor. 1004 N. Garrison av.

TAILOR WANTED—Good tailor to work in store, at once. 2000 Gravois av.

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TEAMS AND MEN WANTED—10 teams and 25 men. 8th and Franklin av. L. A. Thomas.

TEAMS WANTED—St. George st. and wharf, 2700 south. John F. McMahon.

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CLERK—Position wanted by young lady as clerk; have had some experience. Ad. N 175, P.-D.

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COOK—Situation wanted as cook in boarding house. 1921 Franklin, 1st floor, rear.

COOK—Situation wanted by first-class colored cook in first-class boarding house. 2223 Market.

COOK—Situation wanted by first-class colored cook in private boarding house; no washing; best reference. Mrs. Williams, 4038 Evans.

COOK—Position wanted by woman as cook in private family or small boarding house; no postals. 2112 Franklin av., upstairs, room 14.

DISHWASHER—Sit. wanted as dishwasher or to help in kitchen; young woman of 25 years. 2216 Adams st. Kittie Gibson.

DRESSMAKER—First-class dressmaker wants work at home or by the day. 2736 Olive st.

GIRLS—Sits. wanted by two good German girls to do housework and cooking; call several days. 1417 Market st.

GIRL—Sit. wanted by girl to do kitchen work or as dinner girl. Ad. 915 N. 19th st.

GIRL—Sit. wanted by good country girl as housegirl. 1506 Destrehan st.

GIRLS—Sits. wanted by two colored girls to do housework or cook. 1300 Chestnut st., 2d floor.

GIRL—Situation wanted by German girl for general housework. Call at 2562A Dodier st.

GOVERNESS—Position wanted as nursery governess by refined and intelligent young lady who understands music. Ad. N 177, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by an experienced housegirl without cooking. Call or ad. J. C., 2220 Cass av., rear.

HOUSEWOMAN—Widow with one child would like light housework or sewing of any kind. 4114 N. 20th st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted as housekeeper by a refined young lady of 24. Ad. O 77, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted by middle-aged woman as housekeeper for widower or bachelor. 1921 Franklin, 1st floor, rear.

HOUSEKEEPER—Widow, quiet and refined, with two children, would like situation as housekeeper for widower or old couple. 3010 Olive st.

HOUSEWOMAN—Situation wanted by middle-aged woman; good cook; more for home than wages. 1926 Franklin.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted as housegirl by strong colored girl, well recommended. 3431 Olive.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by German girl from Illinois for general housework; city reference. 3960 Finney.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by colored girl for housework, cook or chambermaid in hotel. 2217 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL—Girl wants to do housework or dishwashing. 2944 Manchester av.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by German girl in small American family. Call at Convent, 22d and Morgan.

HOUSEWOMAN—Widow with one child would like light housework or sewing of any kind. 4414 N. 20th st.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted as housegirl in private family. Ad. M 152, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted to sew for room and board, or will assist with housework for part pay. Widow lady. Ad. O 98, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL—A good girl wants place in small family; no heavy work. Ad. O 67, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Sit. wanted in office by young lady with fair education who writes plain hand. Ad. N 178, Post-Dispatch.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class laundress to go out or take home. 1613 Lucas av.

LAUNDRESS—Good laundress wants to bring work home. 2932 Lucas av., rear.

LAUNDRESS—Small bundle to bring home. Lillie Parel, 2654 Morgan st., rear.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by laundress to work by day or office cleaning. Please send postals to Lydia Wolters, 1621 Gay st.

LAUNDRESS—First-class laundress wants washing to take home; nice place to dry. 4442A Lucky st.

LAUNDRESS—Small washing wanted to take home; can give references; good yard and cistern water. E. Brown, 4316 St. Ferdinand.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by a first-class laundress by day or take home. 2614 Stoddard st., basement. Mrs. Fannie Turner.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by a first-class laundress for Wednesdays and Thursdays; refs. 2253 Mary av.

LAUNDRESS—First-class colored laundress wishes to go out Tuesday and Wednesday of every week. Ad. Mrs. Ransom, 713 N. Jefferson.

NURSE—Sit. wanted by nurse confinement cases or invalid; best refs; reas; call or ad. 3138A Clifton.

NURSEGIRL—Situation wanted by neat colored girl as nurse and to help with housework. 2615½ Wash st.

NURSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by colored girl, 13 years old, to nurse or work for board and clothes. 809 N. 16th st., upstairs.

OFFICE GIRL—Wanted, by young girl, any kind of light office work. Ad. O 81, P.-D.; refs.

SEAMSTRESS—Seamstress wishes position to do plain sewing and upstairs work. Ad. O 95, P.-D.

STENOGRAPHER—Situation wanted; beginner; willing worker; neat and accurate; small salary to begin with. Ad. O 74, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Position wanted as stenographer; competent; will work for small salary. Ad. N 176, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Position wanted by a competent young lady stenographer; one year's experience; quick, accurate and moderate salary. Ad. M 60, Post-Dispatch.

WASHERWOMAN—Sit. wanted by first-class washerwoman, Tuesday only; colored; refs. Answer by mail, 3849 Finney av.

WASHING—Good white woman wants washing and ironing for first two days of week. Mrs. H. H., 3311 Manchester av.

WOMAN—Situation wanted by steady colored woman to clean rooms. 1242 Carr st.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

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Business Announcements, 10 Cents Per Line.

BASTERS WANTED—Basters and learners on vests; good pay. 1812 S. 7th st., upstairs.

BASTERS WANTED—Basters to sew on vests at 2220 S. 12th st.

COMPOSITORS WANTED—Girl compositors. Robertson Printing Co., 312 Vine.

COOK WANTED—Woman to cook, wash and iron, four in family; no children; other help; wages good and prompt. 3507 Lafayette av.

COOK WANTED—A competent white girl for cooking, laundry and general housework; family of 3; best wages. 3834 Delmar bl.

COOK WANTED—White girl cook, wash and iron; other for housework. 3955 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—First-class cook for restaurant; apply at once. 1217 N. Leonard av.

COOK WANTED—Good plain white cook for boarding house. 1404 Locust st.

COOK WANTED—Cook, small family of adults; must be first-class; no other need apply; $20 month. 3929 Westminster pl.

COOK WANTED—First-class cook; references required; German preferred; call after 5 o'clock. 4421 Laclede av.

COOK WANTED—Cook, German preferred. 3727 Laclede av.

COOK WANTED—First-class cook. 6901 Manchester av.

COOK WANTED—Experienced cook; good wages. Apply at once 1126 Chouteau.

COOK WANTED—Cook and dishwasher. 1303 Chestnut st.

COOK WANTED—Woman for plain cooking and small girl for dishwashing. 3713 N. Broadway.

DINING ROOM GIRLS WANTED—Two experienced dining room girls at once. 2335 Olive st.

FINISHERS WANTED—Finishers on custom coats. 816½ Pine st.

FINISHERS WANTED—Finishers, at once. 614 Pine st., third floor.

FINISHER WANTED—Experienced finisher on pants. 325 Olive, second floor.

FOLDERS WANTED—Girls to fold and sew buttons on waists. A. Rosenfield, 1819 Washington.

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FOLDERS WANTED—Experienced girls for hand folder work and forelady. Compton-Harmon Mfg. Co., 219 N. 3d st.

GIRLS WANTED—4 girls on power machines. Missouri Bedding and Feather Co., 1125 Collins.

GIRL WANTED—Girl (18) to take care of baby; good home. 1917A Hickory st.

GIRL WANTED—Experienced chocolate and cream dipper. 217 N. 18th st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and iron; small family; good wages. 5544 Cates av. (Cabanne).

GIRL WANTED—Young girl to help in rooming house. Call after 5 o'clock at 16 N. 11th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls for overalls and jumper makers, on power machine; steady work. 804 N. 7th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls for light factory work. $3.50 per week. 118 Olive st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to sew on children's dresses; steady work. 1102 Elliot av.

GIRL WANTED—Second-floor girl; must understand plain sewing; first-class references. Apply 401 N. Taylor av., corner McPherson av.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls. Moser Box Co., 208 Elm st.

HAIR DRESSER WANTED—Must know how to ventilate; also girls for hand and machine sewing. 1628 S. Broadway.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl to do general housework; small family; good wages. 3229 Eads.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework; German preferred. 2744 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist with general housework; good home; small family; no washing or ironing. 5035 Sheridan av., upstairs.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. 3625 Flad.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in housework. 2203A Carr st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework, in a small flat; family of 3. 5232A Minerva av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework in a small family; good wages. 5786 Cabanne av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good woman or girl to do housework in furnished room house; can sleep home. Call 513 S. Broadway.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—To do general housework for a family of two. Call at 814A Pine st., 2d floor.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4254 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in a small family. Apply at 5240 Maple av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework, without washing or ironing. 3922 Russell.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2669 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; first-class wages; take Suburban car. 5067 Fairmount av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4429 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl 13 or 15 or elderly woman, for light housework. 2618A Virginia.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1819 Longfellow bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good home for steady girl. 2923 Lawton.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. Apply 3408 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; no children; good wages. 2356 Louisiana av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework. 3707 Finney av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced girl to cook, wash and iron; ref. required. 4483 Morgan.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages; small family. 4449 Morgan.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl to assist with light housework; no washing or ironing; steady place to right girl. 1815 Olive.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. 1621 Pennsylvania.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 5519 S. Broadway.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist with housework; at once. 2203A Carr st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for housework. 1510 N. 23d st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do general housework. Apply 1316 Biddle st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl. Call 3009 Wisconsin av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl or woman to help with light housework; easy place. 3607 Palm.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4834 Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of two. 4721 Cottage av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework, with or without washing. 719 Carpenter pl., one-half block east of Vandeventer, on Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White or colored; must understand cooking; other help kept. 3431 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Immediately, a good white girl for general housework; 2 in family. 3138 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; no washing. 4000 Russell av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent girl for general housework, without laundry; good wages. 4428A McPherson.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl for general housework; small family. 1536 Lafayette av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl 16 or 17 years of age for general housework; good home. 1212 Hickory.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist with general housework. 1912 Bacon st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl, 16 or 17 years old, for plain housework in private family; good home. 2347 Adams st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young housegirl; small family; call at once. 1422 Wash st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. 1017 N. Leonard av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl of 15 for light housework; white or colored. Call 1413 Blair av., upstairs.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. 4400 St. Louis av.

KITCHEN GIRL WANTED—Girl about 16 to help in kitchen; go home at night; no Sunday work. Home Bakery, 911 N. Jefferson av.

LADIES WANTED—$8 per week made at home painting samples and teaching a new line of decorating; no experience required; any one can do the work. Ad. R., 1101, Chemical bldg.

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LAUNDRESS WANTED—An experienced laundress at once. 4191 Delmar bl.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Laundress at once; good reference. 4610 Pine st.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Woman to do laundry work for small family for rent of basement. 3526 Page bl.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Exp. laundress for washing and ironing, 2 days; ref. re. 3337 Washington.

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SALESGIRLS WANTED—Salesgirls with department store experience; must be first-class saleswomen; reply stating where experience obtained; also salary expected. Ad. O 78, P.-D.

SCRUBWOMAN WANTED—Experienced scrubwoman; German preferred. 612 Locust st.

SEAMSTRESS WANTED—Experienced skirt hand. 724A N. Spring, one block west of Grand.

SEAMSTRESSES WANTED—Experienced girls to sew on custom coats. 105 N. 8th st., 3d floor.

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STENOGRAPHER WANTED—Stenographer at 2130 S. 9th st.

VAMPERS AND STITCHERS WANTED—Experienced; on men's work. Apply Mound City Boot and Shoe Co.

WAITRESS WANTED—Waitress, experienced in restaurant work. 2319 Olive st.

WASHERWOMAN WANTED—Washerwoman to take washing home. 3844 Westminster pl.

WOMAN WANTED—White woman to iron. Apply Tuesday morning, 5650 Bartmer.

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WOMAN WANTED—Honest young woman for lunch stand; $4 week; all night work, 7 to 7. 73.. Market st.

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Lost.

BOOK—Lost, Saturday evening, book, with statements and duplicate slips. Return to 1000 N. 2d st., and receive reward.

BREASTPIN—Lost, a breastpin made of four gold dollars, engraved "Union Forever;" liberal reward will be paid if returned to 2735 Bacon st.

COWS—Stolen; $25 reward is hereby offered for return of 2 cows or for information leading to the conviction of the guilty parties. H. Davies, Sutter P. O., St. Louis County, Mo.

OPERA GLASSES—Lost, Saturday, after matinee, pearl and gold-mounted opera glasses in red opera bag. Return to 815 N. 8th; reward.

OVERCOAT—If party who found little boy's overcoat Sunday morning in alley in rear of 34?4 Washington av. will return to the above number they will receive reward.

PIN—Lost, Sunday morning, F. T. U. class pin; reward. 5747 Bartmer.

PIN—Lost, a photograph pin on Broadway car or Olive; return A. Strorme, 1512 Locust st., and receive reward.

PHOTO—Lost, gent's button photo, on Rutger st., between 29th and 30th. Return 1711 N. Taylor; reward.

PURSE—Lost, ladies' purse, corner 21st and Morgan, containing $4 and 2 opera tickets; will reward at 2007 Morgan st.

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WATCH AND CHAIN—Lost, Sunday, Nov. 10, a lady's hunting case gold watch and chain; initials F. A. F. on case; Fannie on guard of chain; return to W. M., 4044A Nebraska av. for reward.

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FOUND—Where you can find a double sole box calf shoe, $2.95. Harris, 409-411 N. 6th st., the best appointed and roomiest shoe store in St. Louis.

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COSTUMES, street and theatrical wigs, grease paints. Fueger's Theatrical Supply House, 521 Walnut.

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DRESSMAKER—Wants plain sewing and street costumes; reasonable. 3207 Lawton av.

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BUSINESS CHANCE—United States patent on a household article which sells on sight; entire manufacturing right for the State of Kansas or Missouri or any state in the union; immense profits; quick returns. For full particulars call on Philip Boge, Lindell Hotel.

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BARBER SHOP—For sale, 2-chair barber shop; old established location; new furniture; doing good business. Ad. O 73, Post-Dispatch.

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PIANOS tuned; best workmanship guaranteed; $1.75; at Crawford's, 6th and Washington av.

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EACH eye scientifically examined free of charge; 30 years' experience; 16 years at present location. S. S. Dreifus, Optician, 1900 Franklin av.

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BLOOD diseases, pimples, sores, weakness, discharges, pains, etc., cured without fee. 1?7A N. 9th st.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

OFFICE of the St. Louis Mining and Milling Co. of Montana, Principal Place of Business, St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 7, 1901.

NOTICE.

There is delinquent upon the following described stock on account of assessments levied on the 8th day of June, 1901, and of which due notice was given as required by law, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

	No. of certificate.	No. of shares.	Amount.
Ben Altheimer	412	100	$5 00
Wm. Brennecke, Est.	76	500	25 00
Rosa Brennecke	183	100	5 00
Barbara Brennecke	184	100	5 00
Ed J. Beakey	399	300	15 00
Henry P. Beakey	400	300	15 00
Alex Clemens	365	100	5 00
A. M. Finlay	404	100	5 00
Bert Fleming	518	3,000	150 00
Bert Fleming	519	1,000	50 00
Bert Fleming	520	1,000	50 00
Bert Fleming	521	340	17 00
C. L. Kretschmar	62	1,000	50 00
R. D. Kohn	416	100	5 00
Annie Lawson	201	50	2 50
Andreas Meyer	78	400	20 00
John Moser	79	200	10 00
C. F. Penzel, trustee	359	500	25 00
C. F. Penzel, trustee	360	2,000	100 00
Wm. H. Stout	22	200	10 00
Lawrence M. Smith	45	500	25 00
Mary C. Summers	480	1,000	50 00
Mary C. Summers	481	1,000	50 00
Mary C. Summers	482	1,000	50 00
Hy. Williams	181	200	10 00

And in accordance with law and the order of the Board of Directors of said company made on the 26th day of September, 1901, so many shares of each of said parcels of stock as may be necessary, will be sold at the office of the company, room 51 Laclede bldg., in the City of St. Louis, Mo., on Tuesday, the 26th day of November, 1901, beginning at the hour of 12 o'clock noon of said date, and continuing until sufficient shall have been sold to pay the delinquent assessment upon each share, together with the cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

GEO. E. MAYGER, Secretary.

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First President From a Great City.

From the Review of Reviews.

It should not escape attention that of all the long line of illustrious presidents, Theodore Roosevelt is the first to be born and brought up in a great city. Other presidents have passed over to cities, and so have become more or less identified with city conditions and city life, notably Presidents Arthur, Cleveland and Harrison; but Mr. Roosevelt is the first President to represent and to reflect in his very fiber the cosmopolitan of the great modern city, and that city—New York.

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MISS EASTWICK SENT TO PRISON

Six Months for the Crime of Swindling.

BEAUTIFUL AMERICAN WOMAN

LONDON COURT IGNORES SUGGESTION OF INSANITY.

The Accused Is Miss Mary Josephine Eastwick of Philadelphia, Who Had Been Living High in England.

LONDON, Nov. 18.—Miss Mary Josephine Eastwick, the young Philadelphia woman who was committed Oct. 1 in the Guildhall Police Court for trial at the Old Bailey on the charge of having forged a £100,000 railroad certificate, and who on being arraigned pleaded guilty, was sentenced at the Old Bailey this morning to six months' imprisonment as a second-class misdemeanant.

The recorder, in sentencing Miss Eastwick, said he had received documents from the United States embassy showing the accused was mentally weak, but he could not accept that as a plea, the question of sanity being a matter for the secretary of state to consider.

Miss Eastwick, who looked frail and ill, leaned for support on the arm of a prison wardress when leaving the dock.

Miss Eastwick had been living in England for 18 months. She had been living at the Metropole, London and had been coaching through England and living generally in the most expensive manner. She had bought through the Credit Lyonnaise a certificate for five shares of Canadian Pacific stock, and charged that a few days later this certificate was offered by the defendant to Mr. Beeton, a stock broker, for the purpose of securing the purchase of 1000 shares of United States Steel stock and a loan of £4000.

The certificate had been altered, the name of the original holder having been erased, and the name of Mary Josephine Eastwick substituted. The word "five" in the number of shares and the numerals had all been altered, so that it appeared to be a certificate for a thousand instead of five shares. This was skilfully done, three kinds of type and ink being used, showing considerable preparation. The only mistake was that the document bore a shilling revenue stamp instead of one for £10, which a certificate for 1000 shares should carry.

The irregularity as to the stamp caused the broker to investigate and ask the arrest of the defendant. At first she denied that she had sent him any certificate, but a receipt for the registered letter in which it was inclosed was found in her effects.

THE WOMAN'S HISTORY.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 18.—Friends of Miss Marie Josephine Eastwick learned with pain today the news of her sentence. Although she has only been an occasional visitor to Philadelphia in recent years, her charming personality and her high social position in this city have, despite her indifference to society, made her well known in local social circles.

Miss Eastwick is about 32 years old. She is a granddaughter of the late Harrison Eastwick. Her father, Edward P. Eastwick, was formerly associated with the Havemeyers in the sugar refining business, and, when he retired 14 years ago, he was reputed to be a millionaire.

Fond of horses, dogs and all outdoor sports, she was, from the first, averse to the social preferment that her family's position and wealth assured her. In the course of time her spirit of independence asserted itself so strongly that, at frequent intervals, she was estranged from the members of her immediate family, and at such times she made her home with other relatives. During the last 12 years she has devoted herself to travel, making her longest stay in England. Occasionally she came to Philadelphia to visit the family of her uncle, Andrew N. Eastwick, and her aunt, Mrs. Isaac Jones. While in this country she regarded New York as her home, and stopped at the Waldorf-Astoria.

Several years ago Miss Eastwick inherited from her grandmother an interest in an estate said to be worth $100,000. About this time she and her father became estranged, it is said, and with the capital afforded by her grandmother's legacy the young woman sought fortune as a speculator in the stock market, but with what success her relatives or friends do not know. Later on her health gave way, and a reconciliation with her father followed. She was sent to a sanitarium, where she remained for several months.

Upon recovering her health she again went to England, and became distinguished as a whip. She did most of her coaching in Scotland, and was frequently accompanied by distinguished Englishmen and Americans. Miss Eastwick left this country about eighteen months ago, accompanied by her father and sister Hulda. She was last heard from in Scotland.

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"Dear Sir—Please accept my sincere thanks for yours of recent date. I have given your treatment a thorough test and the benefit has been extraordinary. It has completely braced me up. I am just as vigorous as when a boy, and you cannot realize how happy I am."

"Dear Sir—Your method worked beautifully. Results were exactly what I needed. Strength and vigor have completely returned and enlargement is entirely satisfactory."

"Dear Sir—Yours was received and I had no trouble in making use of the receipt as directed and can truthfully say it is a boon to weak men. I am greatly improved in size, strength and vigor."

All correspondence is strictly confidential, mailed in plain, sealed envelope. The receipt is free for the asking and he wants every man to have it.

DEMAND BETTER CAR SERVICE.

Tenth Ward Improvement Association Will Denounce Transit Co.

Henry Fath presided at the meeting of the Tenth Ward Improvement Association, which met yesterday to discuss ways and means to compel the transit company to provide better and more adequate service for the general public and for the citizens of South St. Louis in particular.

The improvements resulting from the efforts of the association were shown in the report of the executive committee, which was adopted.

A general discussion of the street railway problem in St. Louis followed the usual routine of business. The transit company was severely criticized for its poor and inefficient service in South St. Louis. One of the most annoying evils is the practice of motormen refusing to stop at crossings for passengers. A committee was appointed to secure evidence against all motormen who were guilty of the offense, and to report to the city attorney with a vigorous demand for the prosecution of the offenders.

The association has secured many improvements for the district and hopes by moral appeals first and legal methods afterward to secure more efficient service from the transit company.

ILLINOIS TAX CASE IN COURT

Chicago Traction Company Get Behind Constitution.

ASSESSMENT IS NOW TIED UP

THE QUESTION CAME UP MONDAY AT SPRINGFIELD.

Members of the State Board of Equalization Called Before Federal Judge J. Otis Humphrey.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 18.—The right of the Illinois board of equalization to assess the capital stock of corporations after the manner prescribed by Judge Owen P. Thompson's decision in the teachers' tax case is now before the United States Circuit Court for the Southern District of Illinois. The matter came up before Judge J. Otis Humphrey today. Before it is settled it may reach the Supreme Court of the United States.

The suits were filed in the Federal Court this morning by Attorneys Henry and W. R. Crawford, representing the Union and Consolidated Traction companies of Chicago. They represent that the state board of equalization is about to make an assessment against the company in violation of the fourteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States, which guarantees that no state shall "deprive any person of life, liberty, or property without due process of law, not deny to any persons within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws."

In formal legal language the court is asked to restrain the board from taking such action.

The suits came as a complete surprise to the members of the board and the people in Springfield who are interested in the franchise tax fight. Many of the board members had left the city, but the writs were served on the following: Messrs. Barnes, McKnight, Cruttenden, Hirscheimer, McComb, Yantis, Kells and Hopkins. These officials agree that there will be no effort made to avoid the writ and say the board will now await the outcome of the second legal engagement over the tax question.

Attorney Crawford said a good many things which will prove to be disquieting to the country men and possibly to some of the steam railroads. By way of an opener he said there was a time in Illinois when steam railroads were in their infancy and were taxed on their capital stock. He didn't see why it couldn't be done now.

The next proposition Mr. Crawford evolved will interest the farmers. He said there was not an acre of farm land in all this central Illinois section which wouldn't bring $100 and some $200 per acre. The average value of farm land in Illinois, as shown by the records for assessment purposes, was a trifle over $6 an acre. He didn't see why the Thompson decision, if sustained by the court, couldn't be applied to local assessors, and he said something, too, about the price of horses and mules. Then he showed that the banks were getting out of paying taxes. He said that there were bu two classes of property to wit: taxable and non-taxable—and that no legislature could take one class of property out of the taxable list and put it in the non-taxable column without defying the constitution. This was intended as a reminder to the manufacturers and proprietors of coal mines, etc. He said that later on he would appear before the board and lay before that august body these thoughts, as they had occurred to him.

As chairman of the capital stock committee the duty of attending to the board's side of the new turn of affairs devolved upon Mr. Barnes. "Our duty is clear," he said. "We shall call upon the attorney general to represent us in this proceeding. The traction companies have the right to go into court and test the matter, provided they do so in good faith. The action we have contemplated and to which they object is based upon the decision of the supreme court of Illinois. That will be our law until it is determined otherwise. However, there will be no attempt to take snap judgment. I think I can say for the members of the board that they want this matter settled and settled so definitely that there will be no further question regarding it."

Attorney E. S. Smith of this city, of counsel for the Teachers' federation, is now one of Mr. Hamlin's assistants, and, as he is thoroughly familiar with the case from its inception, it is probable that he will be a leading figure in the litigation. By the peculiar turn in the fight Mr. Smith now becomes the champion of the board which in the original suit he opposed.

The city of Chicago appeared in the United States court today and asked to be made a party to the suit brough by the franchise corporations of Chicago.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Schofield appeared for the city, alleging there could reasonably be a collusion between the corporations and the board, in which event the cause could not be given a fair trial, and the interests of the city of Chicago would be lost. Judge Humphrey took the motion under consideration.

Further hearing of the case will be had on Thursday morning when Judge Grosscup of Chicago will sit with Judge Humphrey.

Rheumatism, more painful in this climate than any other affliction, cured by prescription No. 2851 by Elmer & Amend.

PIONEER OF ST. LOUIS BURIED.

Body of A. P. Pearson Laid to Rest in St. Peter's Cemetery.

The body of A. P. Pearson, one of the pioneers of St. Louis, aged 74 years, and one of the youngest of the survivors of the Mexican war, was laid to rest Sunday in St. Peter's Cemetery. The funeral took place from his late residence, 2702 Pine street, under the auspices of the Ancient Order of United Workmen.

His stepson, Charles L. Floyd, was not present at the funeral, having been taken to quarantine last Monday, suffering from smallpox.

A. P. Pearson was a scholarly man. His occupation was that of an expert scalemaker and adjuster. When the Mexican war was declared he enlisted in Louisville, Ky. He had been president of the Mexican Veterans' Association of St. Louis until it ceased to exist, and of his old comrades at arms there were present at the funeral Maj. George W. Gilson, Capt. Frank Vaile and T. W. Kavanagh.

Both before and after the civil war Mr. Pearson was distinguished as an amateur actor, and was connected with the St. Louis Dramatic club. He supported Wallack at the old Pine street theater and played Mark Anthony to Barrett's Cesar.

In Cincinnati he once had the distinction of supporting Lola Montez in "The Dumb Girl of Genoa." As an amateur he played the principal roles in "Shylock," "Richard III," "Othello" and "Schiller's Robbers."

There is a through excursion sleeping car to Los Angeles and San Francisco every Tuesday night via the M., K. & T. Railway.

A Suggestion.

From the Philadelphia Press.

"No, I'm not very well impressed with the house," said the prospective tenant. "The yard is frightfully small; there's hardly room for a single flower bed."

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HOBO CONVENTION AMUSES TURNERS

TRAMPS IN NATIVE ENVIRONMENT AT NORTH SIDE HALL.

ONE PUNISHED FOR WORKING

Occasion the Thirty-First Anniversary of North St. Louis Turnverein Organization.

There was a hobo convention Sunday night in the North St. Louis Turner Hall, Twentieth and Salisbury streets, which caused most of the provisions and wet refreshments in the neighborhood to disappear.

The occasion was the thirty-first anniversary of the organization of the North St. Louis Turnverein. Twelve hours were consumed in the celebration, beginning at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon with a euchre of 126 tables and ending Monday morning when the dancers were too weary to continue.

The stage program, which included selections by the Dunham brass quartet and the Euclid quartet, occupied the evening hours.

The hobo convention was the feature. Twelve tramps were in attendance, and nearly all nationalities were represented. The hobo president was Fred Warmbold. The lay members were Charles Geschite, A. Opel, Theodore Warmbold, Leo Kiefaber, John Schirm, John Kern, O. N. Christmer, Arthur Foegeding, F. Schmidt, A. Schmidt and Henry Loeke.

The curtain arose on a scene representing the tramps lounging on a bed of leaves along a railroad track. They were made up in typical tramp dress and looked their parts. Some wore tomato cans attached to their belts.

There was an initiation of a new brother, who took a solemn oath never to do a lick of work. Smoky Moke, the only colored brother, was tried on a charge of heresy. Smoky was accused of the capital crime—he had been caught working. He admitted that he had worked, but it was only to carry a pail of water in order to get something to eat.

The penalty was that Smoky should go out and hustle and bring in beer and food for the whole convention. He went foraging and soon returned with a keg of beer and plenty of wienerwurst and rye bread.

While the hobos ate and drank there were songs by several members of the convention, all of which were enjoyed by the large audience.

One song, "Sons of Rest Convention," written especially for the occasion by H. M. Williams, was as follows:

Over the hills and over the dells and over the dusty way,
Over the meadows wet with dew or sweet with new mown hay,
From North and South, from East and West, we've gathered here today,
To meet again at our "Sons of Rest" convention
There's Weary Will and Dusty Bill and ten or twenty more,
And still the bums are coming in, who live from door to door,
To eat and drink and dance and sing as they've often done before.
And pass a jolly day without contention.

Here's a health to every man and his little tomato can,
With rags and jags too numerous to mention;
Here's a slug to you and me—and we hope again to see
You all at our annual "Sons of Rest" convention.

After the hoboes had finished their pollification there was another funny number. Fred Wambold, dressed as a female lion tamer, appeared as "Norena," and the performing lions in a cage, under his direction, made a hit. The identity of the lions was not disclosed.

INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD.

That Is the Aim of Labor Delegation From Great Britain.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Ben Tillett, organizer of the London Dockers' Union, and F. Chandler of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters, who have just arrived from England to attend the coming convention of the American Federation of Labor, addressed a recent session of the Central Federated Union. Both are delegates from the British trades union congress to the coming convention of the American Federation of Labor. Mr. Tillett said:

"This is the country of inventions, and inventions help the people—help every one. I observe, however, that there are people in London who have property thousands of miles away, that they can only reach by cable. They look upon the world as Napoleon and Alexander the Great did and call us dreamers. But Napoleon and Alexander were dreamers, too, and realized their dreams. It is for us to do the same. It is in our power to create an international brotherhood of labor."

Labor Leader Chandler spoke of a closer alliance between the workers of this country and England for defensive purposes.

CHILDREN LIVED IN IMAGINATION ONLY

NEW YORK WOMAN MAINTAINED BANK ACCOUNTS FOR THEM.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—A case of a woman who had no offspring cherishing children of her imagination, and even going so far as to open bank accounts for them, has just been brought to light in the law courts. It is a case apaprently much like the short story by Thomas Bailey Aldrich, called "Miss Mehitabel's Son," only the real case goes the fiction much better.

When Margaret Hunter died in February, 1895, there were found among her papers several bank books representing accounts kept in the names of various persons: Margaret Brown, Margaret Hunter, Margaret Hunter in trust for son, Thomas; Margaret Hunter, in trust for son, John, and so on, amounting in all to nine accounts. Three of these were with the Bank for Savings in the city of New York. The latter paid to the decedent's ancillary administrator the amount called for by the book in the name of Margaret Brown, which was Mrs. Hunter's maiden name, but refused to pay the other accounts, which were those in trust for the two sons.

In the action brought by the administrator against the bank it was shown that these two accounts were opened by Mrs. Hunter personally, and the claim of the administrator was that he was entitled to them because Mrs. Hunter never had any children.

The account for the son Thomas was opened on Jan. 3, 1882, when the boy, according to a statement in the book, was 9 years of age. Mrs. Hunter stated at the time she opened the account for John, on Aug. 22, 1883, that he was 11 years old.

The appellate division today affirmed a judgment for the plaintiff. Justice McLaughlin, who gives the opinion, says: "The evidence adduced tended to establish that she had lived in the same house in Newark for nearly or quite 28 years, and that at the time of her death she was between 75 and 80 years old. Therefore, if she had sons, Thomas and John, and their ages were correctly stated in the books issued by the defendant, they must have been born within five or six months of each other, about 1872 or 1873, and at a time when she lived in the house where she died.

"No witnesses were produced who had ever seen these children or either of them, or, in fact, any children belonging to her, and no evidence whatever was offered to the effect that she had even had children. The fact that none of the deceased's friends or neighbors were produced who had knowledge that she had children, and that she must have been upwards of 50 years of age when they were born, raises a strong presumption that she never had children, and that these names were used by her for a purpose known only to herself."

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NEITHER WOULD GIVE UP THEIR WEALTH FOR FADS THEY NOW FOLLOW.

Their Love of Shakspeare and Wagner and of a Bible Class Would Give Way to Greed for Wealth.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Rev. Hugh O. Pentecost of the Unity Congregation, preached yesterday on "Mr. Carnegie's Foolish Sayings," and in part said:

"At the celebration of Founders' Day of Carnegie Institute at Pittsburg, Mr. Carnegie is reported to have said that 'It would be unfortunate for the world when the day would come when 999 men out of every 1000 were not born poor.'

"Now, the facts are the only people who extol the blessings of poverty are the rich.

"Mr. Carnegie said that he would rather give up his riches than be deprived of Shakspeare or Wagner in his life, and young Mr. Rockefeller emphasized the same idea before his Bible class, and at the same time said that he did not think that Jesus Christ meant it was harder for a rich man to enter Heaven than it was for a poor man.

"While I recognize the grain of truth in these sayings, I think the gentlemen who made them do not recognize their humbuggery in making such statements.

"Mr. Rockefeller says that he gets more enjoyment out of his Bible class than out of his riches; yet I haven't the slightest doubt but that he would give up his Bible class for his fortune.

"If the doctrine which Jesus Christ taught is true, young Mr. Rockefeller is doomed to the everlasting punishment of Hades, and in spite of Mr. Carnegie's love of Shakspeare and Wagner, while others have given their lives to the study of these masters, he has given his life to the accumulation of riches. If he should suddenly lose his present riches, I think he would lose no time in setting to work to begin the accumulation of another fortune, instead of studying Shakspeare and Wagner."

"It may be that we must consider Mr. Carnegie a wonderfully unselfish man, but I regard him as a conscious or unconscious humbug, and all the libraries he will ever build will not blot from my memory the scenes at Homestead."

CITY NEWS.

It will pay you to be at CRAWFORD'S this week, who have made big concessions on their majestic stock of Dry Goods to make room for Christmas Goods now daily arriving.

MAN RIDES WILD MOOSE.

Hunter Falls From Tree on Back of Animal in Minnesota Woods.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 18.—A party of prominent railroad officials of this city, while hunting today in the woods surrounding Cass Lake, a country abounding with deer, suddenly came upon a splendid specimen of moose, near the fringe of the wood. The moose emerged from a tamarack swamp, and as soon as he caught sight of the hunters, four in number, he charged them. They dropped their guns and ran pell-mell for shelter.

The only refuge was the branches above them, and up into the tree each climbed. H. Parkhurst of the Minneapolis office of the Great Northern did not hide himself and the moose charged the tree, butting it furiously. In fright Parkhurst dropped onto the back of the moose, clinging tightly. The moose at once started off. Parkhurst's clothing was torn and his flesh bruised by the wild ride to the lake. He attempted to dismount but was unable to do so. The moose dashed into the water, which was icy cold. Parkhurst then floated off the animal's back and with difficulty swam to the shore, where his friends took him in charge.

In the future the party will hunt for more gentle game.

SERIOUSLY HURT BY FALL.

A. Kelly Slips From Sidewalk and Is Badly Injured.

A. Kelly, an employe at the Union Stockyards, East St. Louis, was found unconscious on St. Louis avenue near Collinsville avenue, East St. Louis, yesterday afternoon. He was placed in Benner-Brichler's ambulance and taken to St. Mary's Hospital, where he was attended by Dr. Tophorn.

His skull was crushed, his collar bone broken and several ribs fractured. Kelly was returning to his home on St. Louis avenue when he slipped and fell on the steep steps near the crossing of St. Louis and Collinsville avenues.

Mr. Kelly returned to consciousness about 6 o'clock and recognized his son and sister-in-law, who had been sent for.

Dr. Debaan, the house surgeon at St. Mary's Hospital, pronounced Kelly out of danger this morning, though he was suffering intensely from the bruises and fractures.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Colored Man and Woman Found Dead in Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 18.—The dead bodies of Inez Gordon and Harry Grisard, both colored, were found on the floor of a room at 1412 Grand avenue, in this city, at an early hour this morning.

The police believe from the evidence at hand that the man murdered the woman and killed himself. The woman was shot through the head and heart and the man was clutching the revolver with which he had shot himself.

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BROKE A LEG TO SAVE LIFE.

Olsen, Caught in Railway Frog, Barely Escaped Death.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CAMDEN, N. J., Aug. 18.—Edward Olsen of Holly Beach, after hunting on the meadows in that vicinity yesterday, was hurrying with his bag of game to catch a train when his foot caught in a switch frog and held him fast.

When he heard the whistle of an approaching train he realized the desperate position in which he was placed and tugged all the harder at his imprisoned foot. Bending all his weight upon the leg it broke at the ankle, but by the same effort the foot was released. The plucky man barely saved his life. He was taken to Cooper Hospital here, and the doctors say they can save the foot.

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BIG SUNDAY NIGHT OPENINGS AT THE VARIOUS LOCAL PLAYHOUSES

NINA MORRIS, GRAND.
JOSEPHINE COHAN, CENTURY.

The Four Cohans must be prospering, for the staging and costuming of "The Governor's Son," which returned to the Century last night, is about the most elaborate of the season. In fact, one of the gowns worn by Mrs. Cohan was so striking in its richness as to call forth the applause of the house. Josephine Cohan also wears some beautiful toilets, a white satin gown with a stunning black hat—that fairly bristled with Parisian ear-marks, and the like of which has certainly never before made its appearance in the West—was the most fetching. Ethel Levy, she of the ultra-slender form, was likewise gorgeous in half a dozen chic costumes, and the young women of the chorus were gorgeous as worshippers of "Mr. Moon" and as the "Quakertown Cadets."

The costuming of "The Governor's Son" is almost elaborate enough to warrant the use of the word spectacular.

The feature of the entertainment furnished by the Four Cohans is the dancing. If you wish to know the real poetry of motion you must needs see Josephine Cohan dance. Nothing like it has been seen since the days of Rosina Vokes. Her dancing is a combination of skirt, wing and coon, with a few high kicks which are more than astonishing. But no matter how or what she dances, it is always graceful and modest. If the audience at the Century had been allowed to have its way last night she might possibly have been dancing yet.

There was a fair sprinkling of professional people in the crowd which took up all the available seats and a good bit of the standing room. Among them were: Joseph Brooks, manager of "Ben Hur;" Ben Stevens, manager of "Foxy Quiller;" Jerome Sykes, Charles F. Towle, Signor de Novellis, Will McConnel, Theodore Leary, Sherrie Mathews, Norma Whalley, Archie Ellis, Francis Kingdon and Grace Cameron.

The play at the Grand Opera House, "The Man Who Dared," is good and it is well played, with one exception. The players, in a strain after a Frenchy accent, mouth their words so much that they are at times unintelligible. This was found particularly annoying at Sunday night's performance, where the audience, as is the invariable custom, was late. The play is on the Count of Monte Christo order. The "Man Who Dared" is Howard Hall. He is a good actor, a good swordsman and he is, par excellence, a lion tamer.

He works out in most dramatic fashion a coolly planned vengeance on a faithless wife who supposed she had poisoned him, by impersonating his own twin brother. The woman's lover is first bankrupted at Monte Carlo, then induced to kill his mistress in a jealous rage and finally is himself slain in the duel on which the curtain drops.

Miss Nina Morris plays well the part of the faithless wife, with the exception of the mouthing before mentioned. She is one of the handsomest women who has been here for some time.

The lover, as played by Alexander Kearney, is fair, though not quite passionate enough. The remainder of the cast is excellent, even the lions, into whose cage Mr. Hall goes after a glove, doing their turn in the best styles of the histrionic art.

"Man's Enemy" opened a return engagement at Havlin's yesterday with Agnes Herndon and Albert Andruss in the leading roles. The company is above the average and an excellent production of the well-known and popular play is given. Two large audiences filled the house yesterday, and a big week's business will certainly follow.

"Human Hearts," Hal Reed's well-known and popular melodrama, entertained two good-sized audiences at the Imperial yesterday. Lincoln Plummer appears in the part of Tom Logan and is most acceptable. He is supported by an exceedingly good company, among them Pearl Ford, who plays the adventuress, and Gracie Logan as Baby Irving.

At the Standard the Ramblers gave two excellent burlesque performances yesterday. The olio was made up of some very clever turns, among them the Bijou Comedy Four, in a singing and dancing act; George Scanlon and Pearl Stevens, in a sketch, Clarence and William Lutz and the Major Sisters.

"Ben Hur" will open at the Olympic tonight. It will be about the most gorgeous spectacle ever seen in St. Louis—unless all that has been published concerning it in eastern papers is untrue, and there is no reason to believe this to be the case. It took two special trains of six cars each to bring the show to town.

Hallen and Fuller and Sherrie Matthews and Nora Whalley are the bright particular stars on the Columbia program, which changes at the Columbia today. The show this week promises to be one of the best of the season.

"Jaegerliebchen," Von Treptow's jolly farce, afforded the Germania's patronage one of the pleasantest evenings of the season thus far. Last night's audience was another of those capacity testers which are the delight of the management, and not a little of the inspiration of the company itself. The piece last evening brought the entire organization into play and it was especially Herr Heinemann, Frau Welb-Markham and Miss Leona Bergere who kept up the cacchinatory interest in the unfolding of the story. Musical farces to be at their best must introduce music in a logical way; that is, as an aid to the telling of the story; they should not be merely employed to emphasize the paucity of the action. In this respect "Jaegerliebchen" proved a capital number.

In honor of the celebration of Friederich Von Schiller, the great German poet's birthday, the bill for next Wednesday evening is his famous historical tragedy, "Don Carlos."

Harold Gordon of the Southwell Opera Company, sang at the Odeon Popular Concert yesterday afternoon before an audience that almost completely filled the hall and was heard to much better advantage than at Delmar Garden, during the past summer. His selections were "Star of my Life" by Corliss and an operatic serenade. For encores he sang two of Mr. Robyn's always popular ballads. Miss Eugenia Getner sang in excellent style "Allor Chel Sorti" by Verdi and Gounod's "Death of Joan D'Arc."

Mr. Jacob Blumberg, the promising young violinist, played an Hungarian Rhapsody by Miska Houser, and Mr. Robyn played both organ and piano solos in his usual brilliant style.

Next Sunday Mr. Robyn will produce with full chorus John W. West's prize Thanksgiving Cantata, "Seedtime and Harvest."

Eugene Rautenberg's new orchestra made its collective bow at the Germania yesterday afternoon before an audience which made up in enthusiasm what it lacked in numbers. The music proved to be a good deal better than might have been expected, considering the sudden way in which the enterprise was started—something in defiance of the well-known axiom in music that an orchestra is a thing of growth to which no forcing process has, to date, been applied successfully.

The last general rehearsal of "La Gioconda" by the Southwell Opera Company took place at Music Hall last night and at 11 o'clock p. m., after four hours of the most exacting labors, Musical Director Liesegang and Stage Manager De Witt expressed themselves as having no doubts of the complete success of tonight's work. The following principals, the same as will appear tonight, took part in the rehearsal: Anna Lichter as Gioconda; Frances Graham as Cieca; William H. Clarke as Alvise Badoero; Eugenie Barker as Laura; Ferdinando Avedano as Enzo; Achille Alberto as Barnaba.

The chorus showed surprising efficiency and the orchestra was no longer in need of correction by the director.

The advance sale of seats has been large and the opening of the third season of opera at Music Hall will, unless all signs fail, far outclass its predecessors in point of artistic ability and completeness.

"DIVORCE A FAD AMONG THE RICH"

—R. A. HOLLAND, D. D.

ST. GEORGE'S RECTOR DENOUNCES MARRIAGE OF DIVORCEES.

WEALTHY NOT IMMUNE TO LAW

Urges That Canon Permitting Reunion of Person Separated by Law Be Abolished.

"Those whom God hath joined together, let no man put asunder," was the text of a sermon preached by Rev. Dr. Robert A. Holland, rector of St. George's Episcopal Church, Sunday. It was a denunciation of the remarriage of divorced persons. The basis of Dr. Holland's discourse was the proposed canon prohibiting under any circumstances under the sanction of the church the marriage of a divorcee while the partner in wedlock lives. This canon was before the Episcopal convention in San Francisco recently and almost passed. Dr. Holland said that the effort on the part of the clergy to pass the canon was a protest against divorce aimed at families of wealth and position who had made divorce fashionable. Among this aristocracy of wealth, many members of which belonged to the Episcopal Church, a feeling had grown that wealth was immunity from rebuke. He cited the cases of the Vanderbilt-Belmont divorce and marriage, the Astor and the Sloan divorces. There is only one position upon which the church can stand consistently, said Dr. Holland, and that was to abolish the canon which permits the remarriage of a divorcee when the grounds of divorce were statutory, and to substitute one defeated in the San Francisco convention.

May Be Passed at Next Convention.

It was Dr. Holland's opinion that the defeated canon would be passed by the next convention. "The sentiment in favor of it is rapidly growing," said he. "It was defeated by a narrow margin. The House of Bishops and the clergy of the House of Delegates were for the new canon, which was defeated by the lay delegates.

"The clause referring to adultery is equivocal and unjust. If statutory reasons are to annul the first marriage bond why not desertion, attempt at murder, cruelty, drunkenness, crime, insanity, until, at last, incompatibility and the mere desire for divorce? Each approximation is only a little different from the one which went before. Excuses will multiply and the number of divorces increase until divorce becomes so common as to lose its stigma and become respectable, if not, indeed, the fashion, and thus we see it today.

"The church can leave no gate open by which the fort of purity can be assailed. The dangers with the passions are so great that the church must stand guard against their attack. It is a fight for the sanctity of the home, which began with the very beginning of Christianity. Its standard was set up by Christ when Jew and Greek and Roman allowed divorce for almost any cause resulting in universal corruption. It took 500 years for the Christian church to make its law the law of Europe. Marriage that permits divorce is heathen marriage. The law of Christian marriage is the law of the cross. It means the sacrifice of self, love's great surrender, not love's self-indulgence."

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MESSAGE WILL BE TERSE AND SHARP

President Roosevelt Has Written Nearly 16,000 Words.

GREAT CREDIT TO MR. M'KINLEY

RECIPROCITY WILL BE TOUCHED UPON, BUT NO RECOMMENDATIONS MADE.

Ship Subsidy, Department of Commerce, Restricted Immigration and Naval Increase Are Features.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—President Roosevelt is now putting his message to Congress into completed form. It is nearly ready for the printer. It will contain from 14,000 to 16,000 words. Terseness will be a characteristic feature.

The President will give profuse credit to his predecessor for the existing prosperous conditions, and the declaration will be made that it will be his purpose to so perpetuate the policies of President McKinley that a continuance of prosperity will be assured.

Attention will be directed to the rapidly growing surplus with the causes producing it. But there will be no specific recommendation to Congress as to tariff revision, although a reduction of the internal revenue taxes may be advised.

President Roosevelt will say that reciprocity is a subject requiring careful study, but will not commit himself to an indorsement of the pending reciprocity treaties as examples of what should be sought in the future.

While the President will urge the need of subsidy legislation that will build up the American merchant marine, specific recommendation will be avoided. Attention will be drawn to the very small percentage of American shipments carried in American bottoms. The President is of opinion that all ships that are to fly the American flag should be constructed with a view to being used by the government as auxiliaries in time of war.

The creation of a department of commerce, with a cabinet officer at its head, will be recommended.

A strong stand will be taken for the restriction of foreign immigration. The reenactment of the Geary law and the continued exclusion of Chinese will be recommended. Also the enactment of stringent laws that will exclude anarchists seeking to land here.

The President will urge the need of legislation affecting trusts, but will not submit any specific plans for the determination of this important question.

Considerable space will be devoted to the army and navy. The President, in the case of the navy, will urge the necessity of an increase, indorsing practically the program submitted by the navy department. He will go further and point out the absolute need of keeping all the ships of the navy in fighting trim instead of permitting them to lie about in navy yards, requiring a general overhauling before being serviceable.

Mr. Roosevelt wants the navy to be kept in a state of the highest efficiency, so that the list of ships afloat will represent the actual and not the paper strength of the sea forces. He also favors formidable defenses for the outlying possessions.

It will be urged that the army, at whatever numbers maintained, should be kept in a state of the highest efficiency.

President Roosevelt is an ardent advocate of an Isthmian canal. It is understood that the commission practically recommends the Nicaragua route, and it is expected the President will indorse that recommendation.

PRODUCED LIGHT FROM BEEFSTEAK

SUCCESSFUL TESTS MADE AT BROWN UNIVERSITY.

CLEAR PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN

Prof. Gorham Extracted Enough Organisms From Decayed Meat to Make a Picture.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 18.—A Brown University professor has extracted light from decayed meat.

The man engaged in this attempt is Prof. Frederick P. Gorham of the biological department. He has been occupied with his researches for some time past and has thus far reached a point where he is able to take passe porterhouse steak and cause it to emit enough light for the taking of photographs.

This is an achievement said to have never before been accomplished in the scientific world and hardly paralleled.

But the decayed porterhouse is with the professor only a means to an end. In time he hopes to get along without the steak, although he finds it at present essential in his investigations.

The substance of the problem which is occupying Prof. Gorham's mind is the production of the greatest amount of light with the smallest of heat, and he hopes to accomplish this end by chemical means.

Having set forth the problem, Prof. Gorham bethought himself that there is a kind of animal phosporescence which is, so far as known, entirely devoid of heat. This is the light observable in glowing summer seas, in fire flies, in decaying vegetation, or decaying flesh. Science has long known that the phosporescence of the seas, of wood and meat was from minute animal and vegetable organisms. He obtained a quantity of these from a piece of decayed meat, which he transferred to test tubes containing gelatine.

"The light these organisms produce is from oxidation," said Prof. Gorham, "just as the heat of our bodies is from oxidation. It is a chemical action. I have been experimenting to find what materials would produce the greatest quantity of luminosity in these small bodies, and have now reduced their diet to three chemical salts, the principal being ordianry table salt or sodium chloride. Another of the salts contains nitrogen, which is essential to the production of light, and there is a little sulphur, which I believe could be eliminated without bad results."

The professor showed his flasks containing the organisms and from them proceeded a vivid greenish glow. The professor said he had taken several photographs by the aid of the light. His search is now confined to the discovery of the chemicals which will take the place of the organisms.

MUST BUY AUSTRALIAN FOOD.

Customs Authorities Will Seal Up Stores of Mail Steamers.

LONDON, Nov 18.—A dispatch from Melbourne to the London Times says the customs authorities, in pursuance of the provisions of the customs regulations act, have sealed the stores of mail steamers at Sydney, in order to prevent the consumption of them while the vessels are in that port or traveling between Australian ports. The companies' agents will probably test the validity of the law by breaking the seals outside territorial limits.

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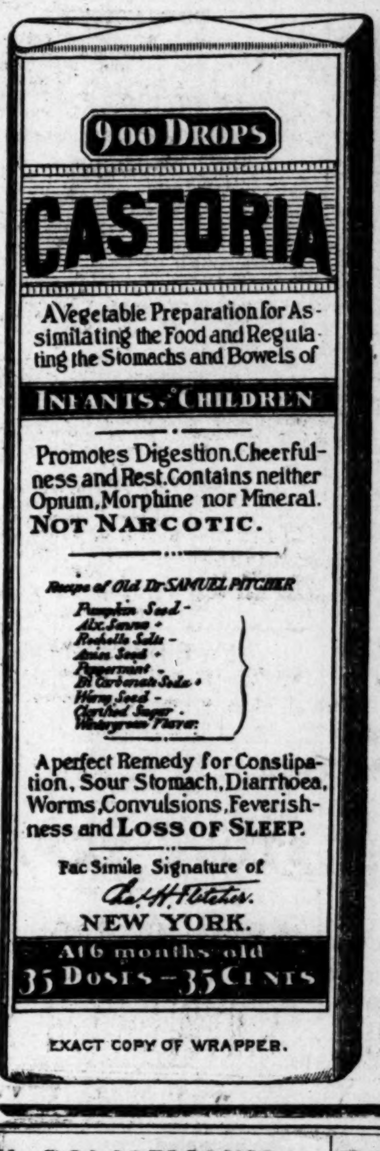

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The Arrested Man Same Who Took Street Car Man's Money While Telling Him of It.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—"The gentlemanly pickpocket" who a few days ago told a Bronx street car conductor that he was the "slickest thing in that way of crooks that ever happened," has been caught. But he gave his captor, Detective Courtney, a scare by extracting $1000 in bills and sundry other valuables from his pockets on the way to the station.

Courtney saw the man with two others robbing George N. Reinhardt on a Third avenue car, and grabbed the pickpocket and shoved the stolen roll of bills into his own pocket. The other two escaped, and Courtney hurried his prisoner to the station and reported.

"Here's the $1000," he said to the sergeant in charge, going down into his pocket. Something like a smile appeared on the prisoner's face when the detective's hand came up empty.

Courtney was thunderstruck. Then he went through the prisoner's pockets. There was the stolen $1000 and several bills belonging to the detective. The prisoner said he was Robert Lloyd, but the police say he is "Kid Carter" in the rogues' gallery.

MR. HOEPPNER COMING HOME.

BUENOS AYRES, Nov. 18.—William Hoeppner, whose extradition was requested by the United States government because of charges of defalcation and forgery against him, has sailed on the British steamship Oropesa for Liverpool, whence he will sail for New York. He is accompanied by a detective.

TOOK KEYS FROM JANITOR'S POCKET

THEN THIS THIEF STOLE $10,000 WORTH OF DIAMONDS.

BELONGED TO A BROKER

Thief Went Into Basement, Took Keys From Janitor's Trousers and Let Himself Into Room.

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 18.—E. W. Lowenthal, a diamond broker of New York, arrived here Sunday evening and registered at the Portland Hotel. He was assigned a room on the ground floor of the hotel and placed a trunk containing diamonds valued at $10,000 and $200 in money in the room. Mr. Lowenthal states that he left the hotel between 9 and 10 o'cock last evening, and that when he returned he found the trunk broken open and the diamonds and cash missing. Detectives were immediately summoned and, from a hasty examination of the premises, arrived at the following conclusion:

A janitor of the hotel had a bunch of pass keys in the pocket of a pair of trousers which were hanging in a closet of the basement. This bunch of keys is missing and the theory is that the thief, who was evidently well posted as to the basement story of the hotel, secured these keys and effected an entrance to Mr. Lowenthal's room. It is supposed that the robber, after securing his plunder, made his way through a folding door to the basement, and, placing a ladder against the wall of the hotel court on Seventh street, made good his escape.

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